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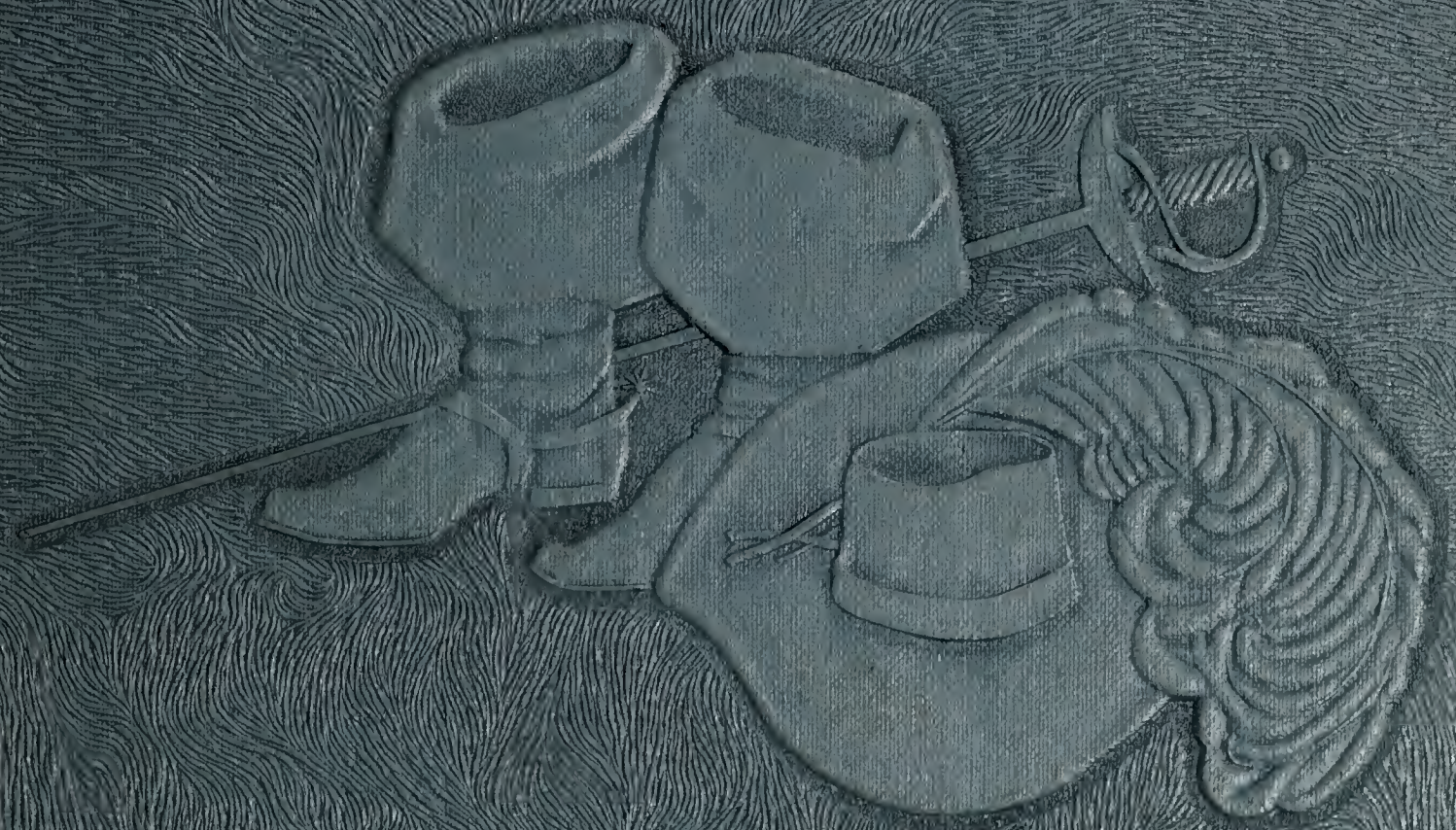

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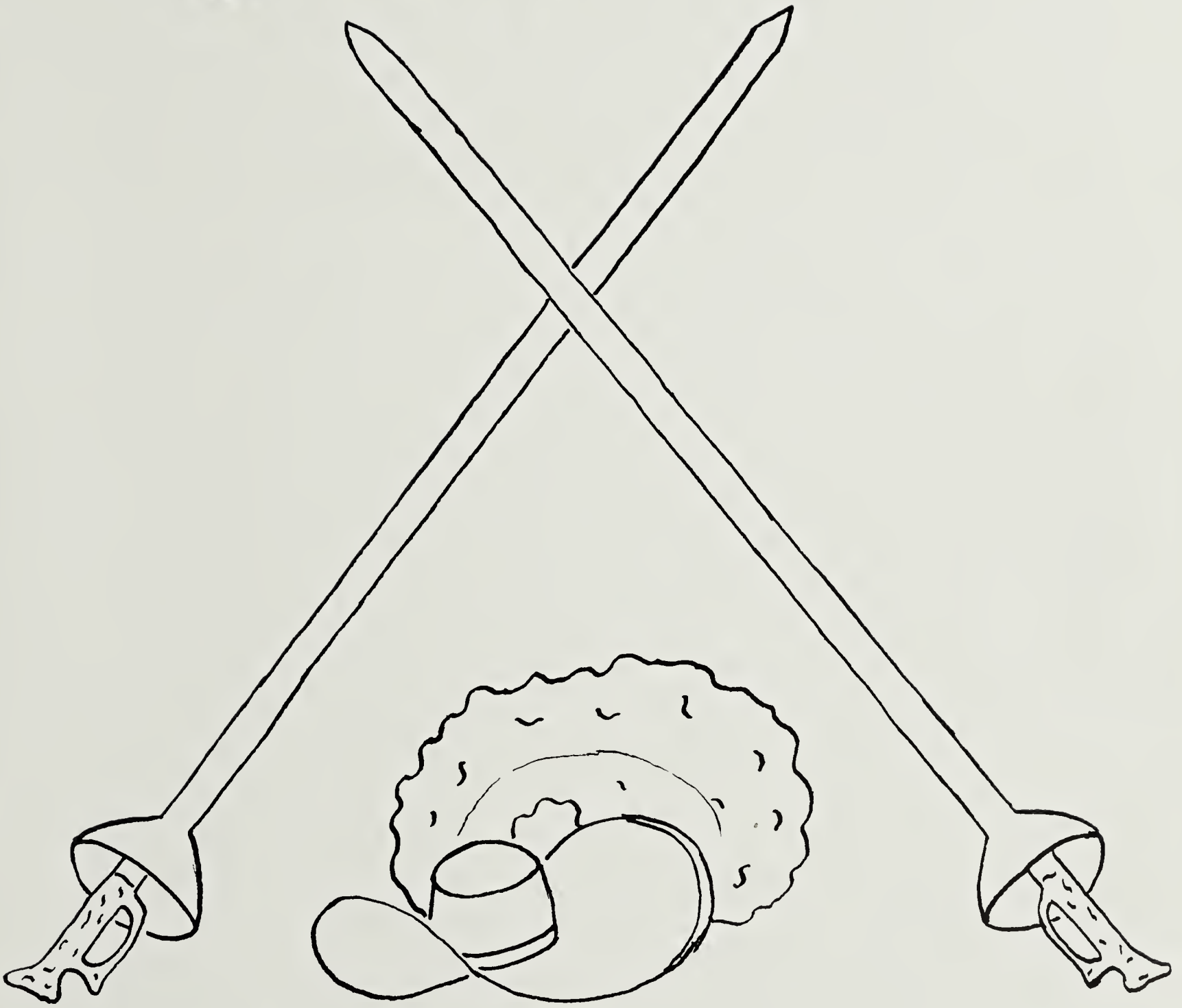
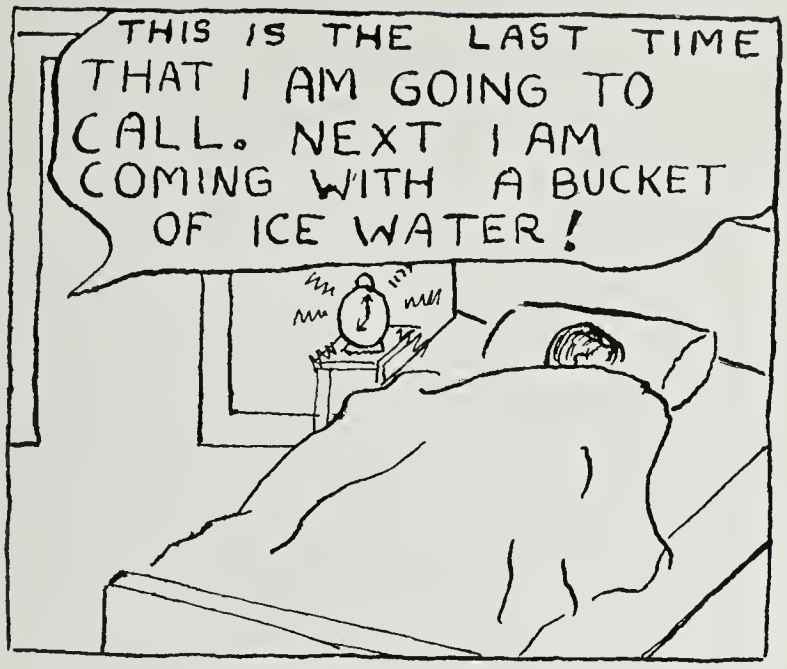


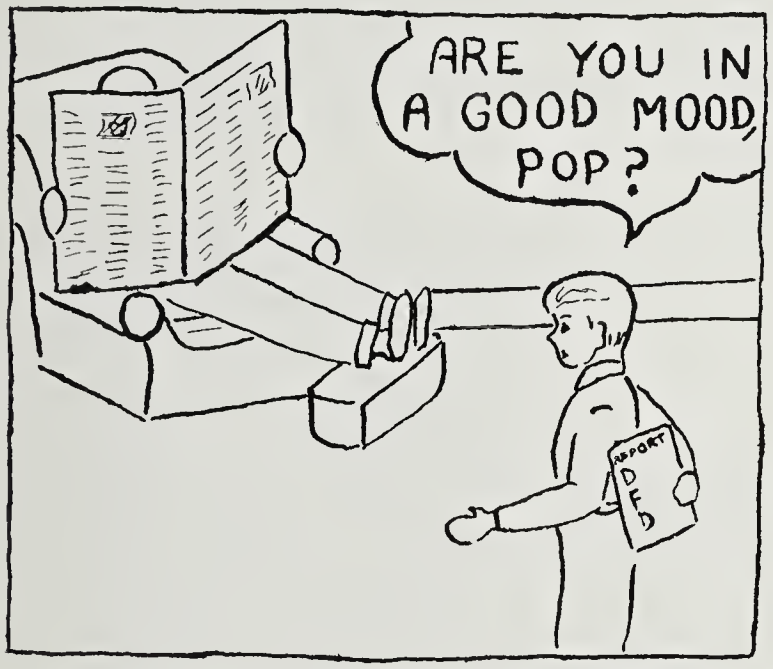
Gloucester High School

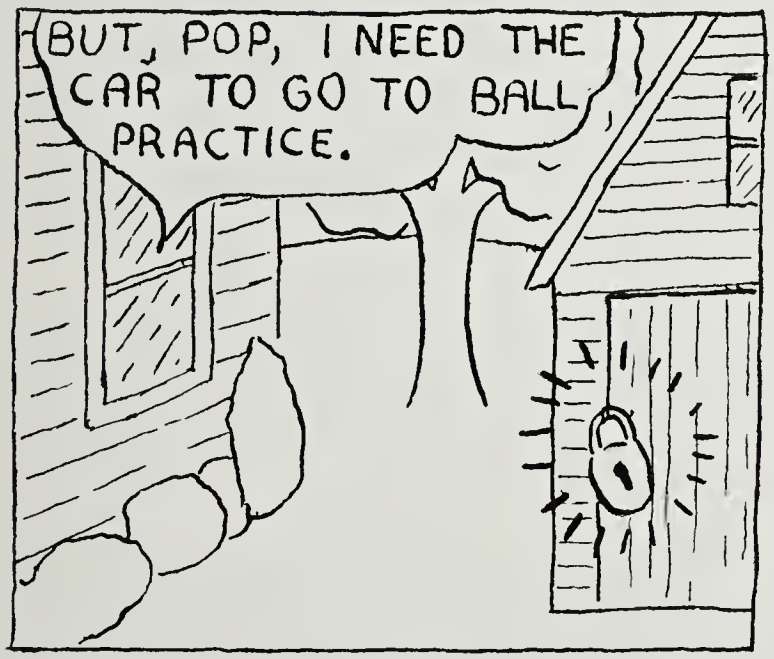
Gloucester, Virginia

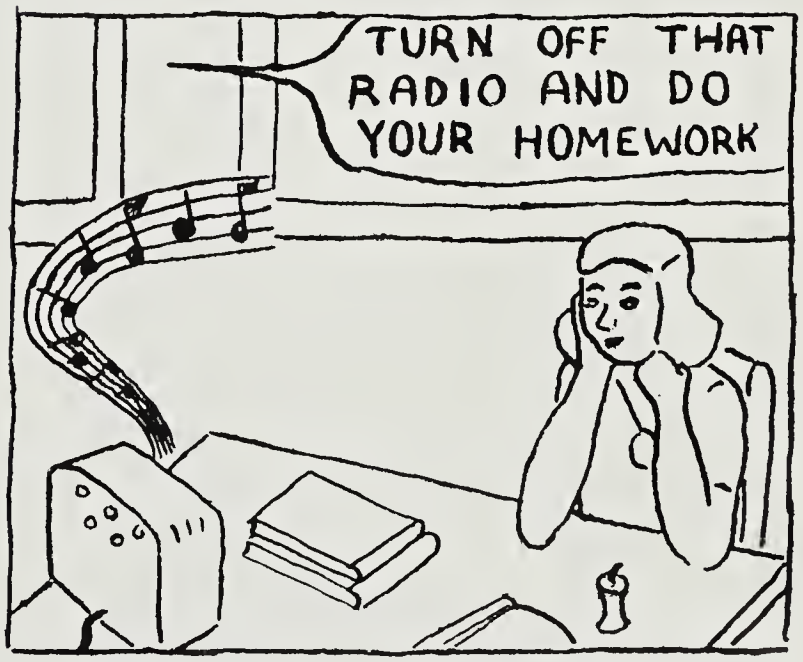
Foreword

Through this yearbook the annual staff has attempted to depict life at Glouces-ter High School as the students know it. As you leaf through these pages, you will see the classes, the clubs, the sports, and other extracurricular activities, which are an indispensable part of school life. Our purpose in publishing this annual is to provide for you a treasure chest of mem-ories of the activities, the gaiety, the spirit of Gloucester High School, the year 1955.









For their unwavering faith, even though we little deserved it, for their steadfast love which comforted and consoled when we were disheartened, for their abundant patience and unerring guidance, we, the members of the Senior Class, dedicate this 1955 Cavalier to our beloved parents.

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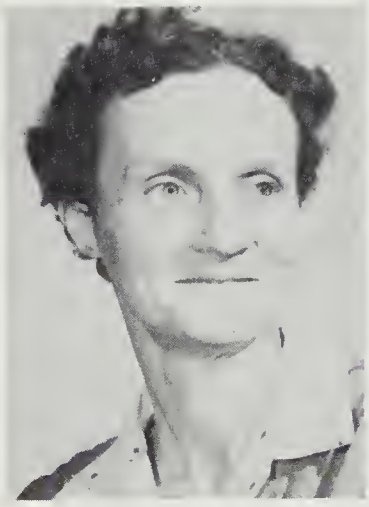

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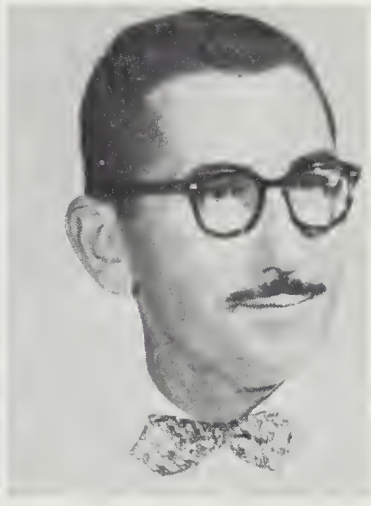

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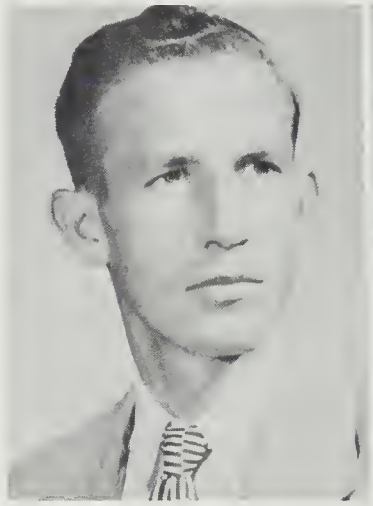

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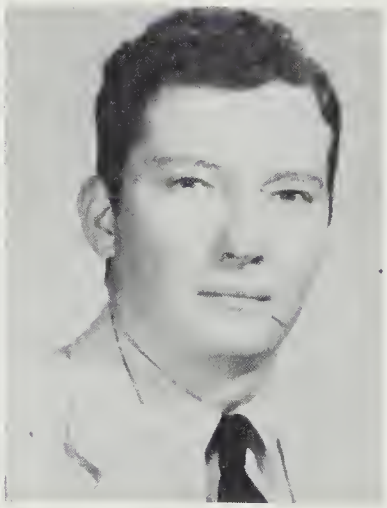

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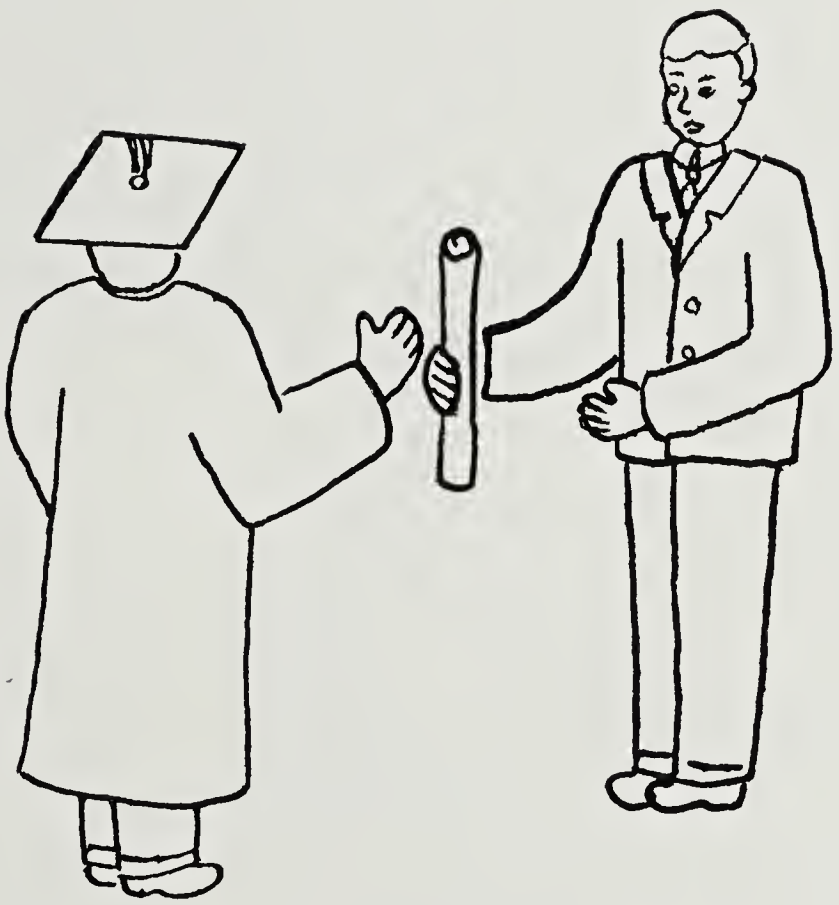

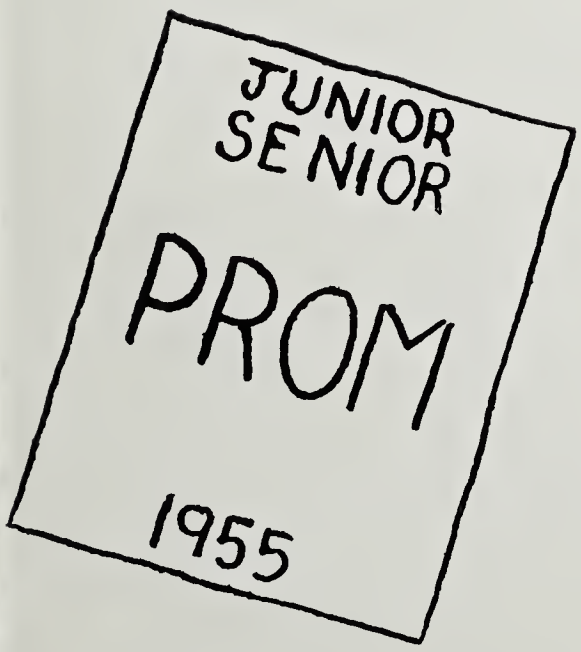

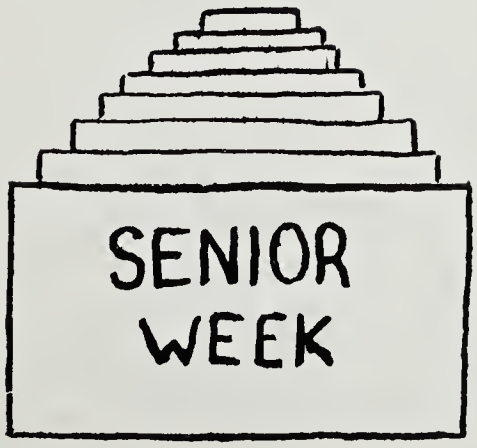

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Class Of 1955

WILLIAM DONALD AMBROSE

"Music washes away from the soul the dust of everyday living.
-Overbeck

MARY VIRGINIA AMBROSE

"There is nothing noble in being superior to some other man. True nobility is in being superior to your previous self."
- Hindu Sayings

ALTON GILBERT BIRDSALL, JR.

"Curiosity is one of the permanent and certain characteristics of a vigorous mind."
Samuel Johnson

BERNARD SAUNDERS BLAKE

"Whatever is worth doing at all, is worth doing well."
Philip Dormer Stanhope

GRAHAM CORDELL BLAKE

"It is the prime duty of a man of this terrestrial world to look well."
-Sir William Osler

ROBERT GERALD BOCKRATH

"Who brings sunshine into the life of another has sunshine in his own."
-David Starr Jordan

The Seniors

DOROTHY JANETTE BRADLEY

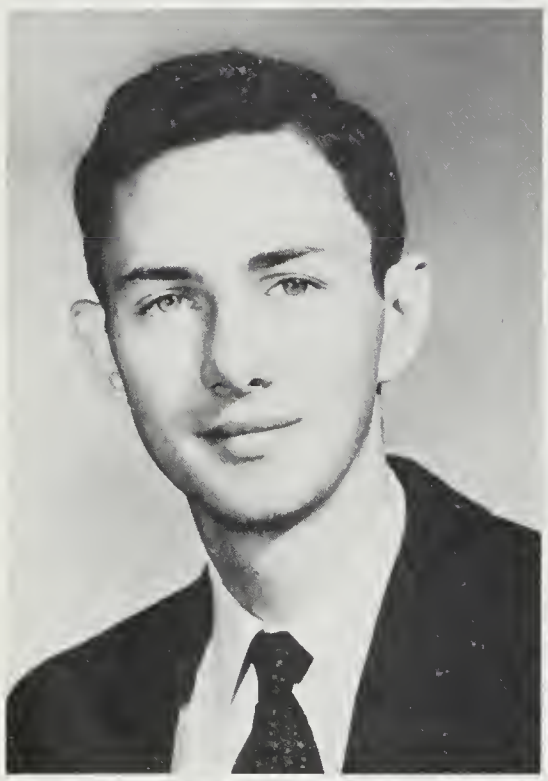
"Her fancy lost in pleasant dreams."

-Addison

AUDREY FAYE BROADDUS

"Remember this--that very little is needed to make a happy life."

-Aurelius



CHARLES HERBERT BROWN, JR.

"In the life of a young man the most essential thing for happiness is the gift of friendship."

-Sir William Osler

MARY ANNE BROWN

"A good laugh is sunshine in the house."

-Thackeray

WILLIAM RODGERS BROWN

"Make the most of yourself; for that is all there is of you."

-Emerson

THOMAS JOSEPH BUNTING

"It is the tranquil who accomplish much."

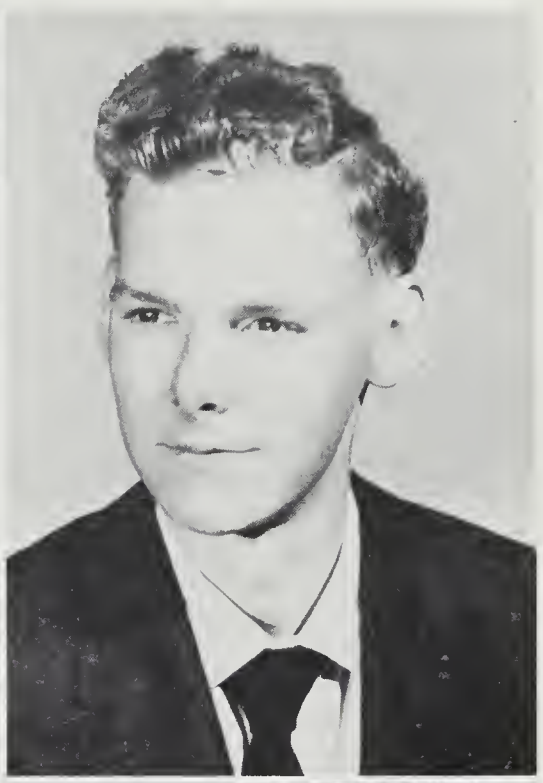
-Thoreau

Class Of 1955

CLYDE ALLEN CARLTON

"Honest good humor is the oil and wine of a merry meeting, and there is no jovial companionship equal to that where the jokes are rather small and the laughter is abundant."

-Irving



CLYDE HENELY CASEY, JR.

"Ask me no questions and I'll tell you no fibs."

-Goldsmith

LAURA BARBARA CLEMENTS

"Give thanks for what is instead of dwelling on what might have been."

-Soulshy

MARY NANCY CLEMENTS

"Her deep blue eyes smile constantly as if they had by fitness won the secret of a happy dream--she cares not to speak."

-Browning

HELEN PATRICIA CROWDER

"A poor life this if, full of care, we have no time to stand and stare."

-Davies

ELEANOR JANE DEAL

"As merry as the day is long."

-Shakespeare

The Seniors

JOHN EARL DEAL

"He is a wise man who does not grieve for the thing which he has not, but rejoices for that which he has."

-Epictetus

NORMA JANE DeHART

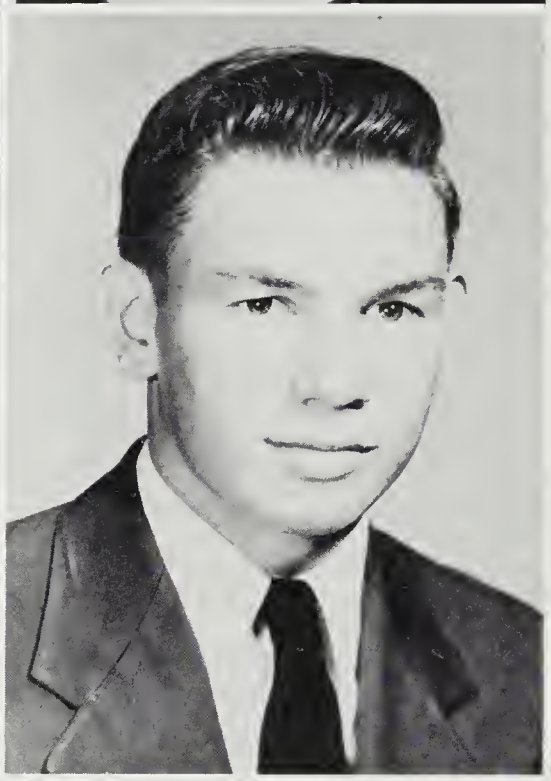
"I am sure, care is an enemy of life."

-Shakespeare

ARTHUR GENE EASTWOOD

"A word or nod from the good has more might than the eloquent speeches of others."

-Plutarch



WALTER VINCENT EWELL

"True politeness is perfect ease and freedom. It simply consists of treating others just as you love to be treated yourself."

-Lord Chesterfield

PATTY LEE GADDY

"Nothing is impossible if the ambition to do is great enough."

-Unkown

SALLY LEE GANTT

"Perfection consists not in doing extraordinary things, but in doing ordinary things extraordinarily well."

-Arnold

Class Of 1955

MILTON FRANKLIN GERMAN

"It is not enough to do good; one must do it the right way."

-Morley

ELLA LOUISE GRAY

"It is a friendly heart that has plenty of friends."

-Thackeray

WILLIAM NELSON GRAY, JR.

"Those that think must govern those that toil."

-Goldsmith

LORETTA GREENE

"It's wiser being good than bad, it's safer being meek than fierce."

-Browning

CLARICE IRENE HALL

"Good things come in little packages."

-Longfellow

AUDREY CHRISTINE HOGGE

"Good taste is the flower of good sense."

-Poincelit

The Seniors

CURTIS CLEMENTS HOGGE

"Happiness is the supreme object of existence."

-Lawson

JOHN ELLIS HOGGE

"For there's a heart for everyone, if everyone could find it!"

-Swain

JOYCE ANNETTE HOGG

"There is no more mistaken path to happiness than worldliness, revelry, high life."

-Schopenhauer

CATHRYN MARIE JENKINS

"She must be seen to be appreciated."

-Ainsworth

IRVING EDRY JENKINS

"Born for success he seemed, with grace to win, with heart to hold, With shining gifts that took all eyes."

-Emerson

SAMUEL JENKINS

"By the work one knows the workman."

-Fontaine

Class Of 1955

JOSEPH LIONEL JORDAN, JR.

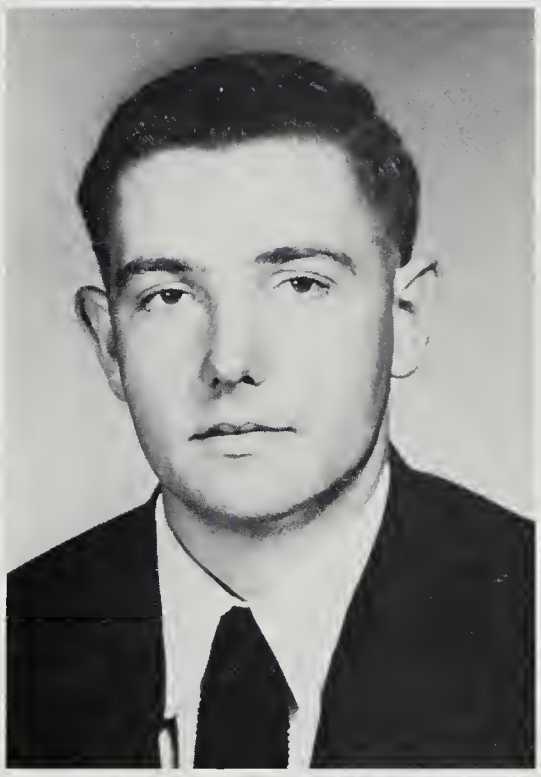
"I never met a man I didn't like."

-Will Rogers

ROSS DONOVAN KILPATRICK

"Common sense is the knack of seeing things as they are; and doing things as they ought to be done."

-Stone



ALVIN ASHTON LEIGH, JR.

"'Tis better to think and not speak, than to speak and not think."

Unknown

ROBERT EDWARD LEIGH

"The most completely lost of all days is that on which one has not laughed.

-Chamfort

MELISSA JANE LEWIS

"Nothing is impossible to a willing heart."

-Heywood

CLYDE WILBURN LOLLIS

"We attract hearts by the qualities we display; we retain them by the qualities we possess."

-Suard

The Seniors

SUE SYDNEY MARSHALL

"Happiness consists in activity. It is a running stream and not a stagnant pool."

-Good

WILLIAM BLAND MASON

"He hath a heart as sound as a bell."

-Shakespeare

HERBERT BELA McCOY

"I do not hunger for a well-stored mind."

-Unknown

WILLIE NELL McCOY

"A kind heart is a fountain of gladness making everything in its vicinity to freshen and to smile."

-Irving

HAROLD EUGENE MEEK

"Absence makes the heart grow fonder."

-Bayly

DOROTHY ANN MERSHON

"A good word is as soon said as an ill one."

-George Eliot

Class Of 1955

ROYCE ELLSWORTH NEWTON

"Too busied with the crowded hour to fear to live or die."

-Emerson

SHELBY JEAN OWENS

"Laughter is not at all a bad beginning for a friendship, and it is the best ending for one."

-Wilde

ROBERT SAMUEL PLENTOVICH

"Variety is the spice of life that gives it all its' flavor."

-Cowper

EARL FRANKLIN QUILLIAN

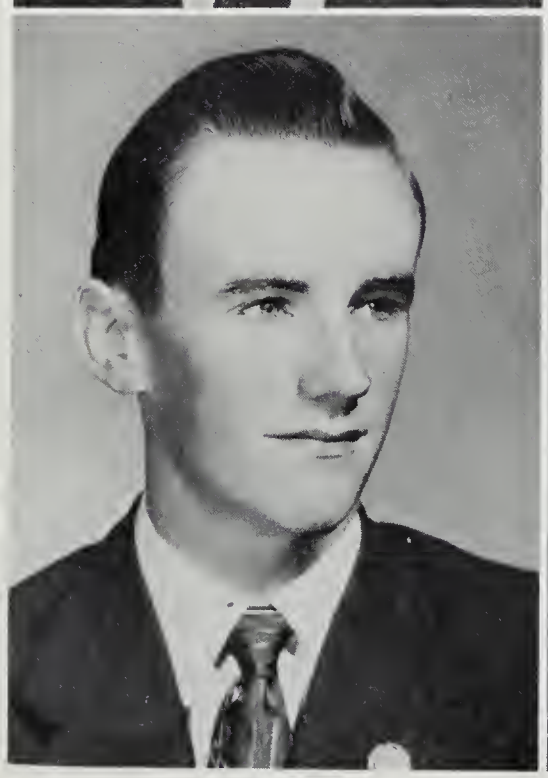
"Wit is the salt of conversation."

-Haclitt

WILLIAM THOMAS ROBBINS

"A certain amount of opposition is a great help to a man; kites rise against and not with the wind."

-Carlyle



CHARLES FRANKLIN ROBINS

"A friend may well be reckoned the masterpiece of nature."

-Emerson

The Seniors

ANNIE RUTH ROWE

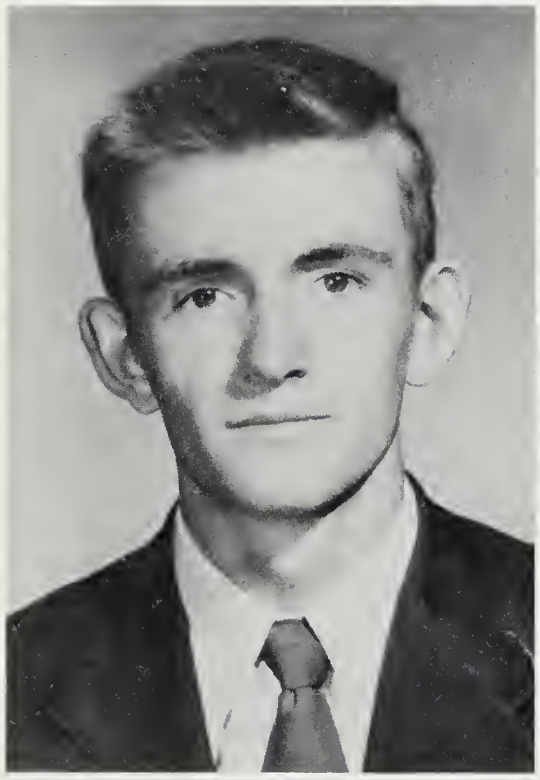
"Whose life is a bubble, and in length a span."

-Browne

MYRTLE CHRISTINE SEARS

"It is a little stream that flows softly, but freshens everything along its course."

-Longfellow



WILLIE JAMES SEAWELL, JR.

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

-Emerson

JOYCE ONEDA SHACKELFORD

"She is pretty to walk with, and witty to talk with, and pleasant, too, to think on."

-Suckling

NANCY VIRGINIA SPEAKMAN

"She speaketh not; and yet there lies a conversation in her eyes."

-Longfellow

JAMES WEYMAN SMITH

"Well-timed silence hath more eloquence than speech."

-Martin Farquhar Lupper

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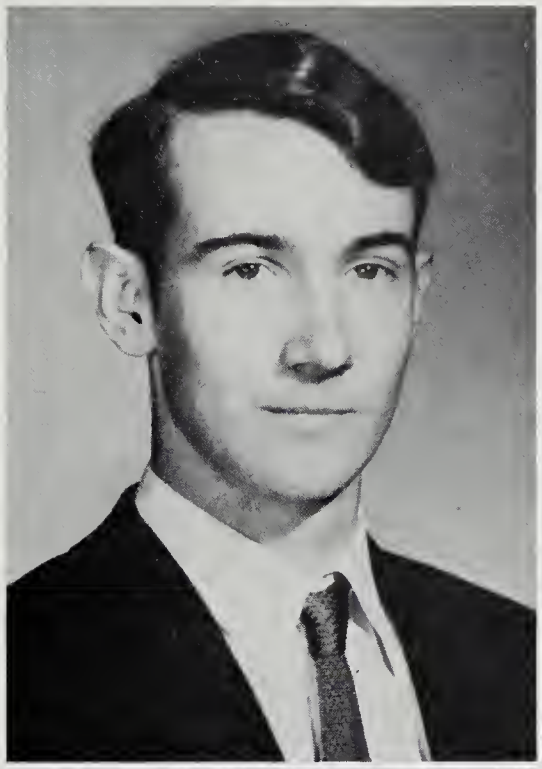


MALCOLM HUDSON SOUTH

"The true way to render ourselves happy is to love our duty and find it in our pleasure."

-Mottsville

GLORIA JEANETTE STERLING

"Finish every day and be done with it. You have done what you could. Some blunders and absurdities no doubt, crept in; forget them as soon as you can.

-Emerson

JOAN GAIL STRATTON

"I have no mockings or arguments; I witness and wait."

-Walt Whitman

GRANVILLE CHRISTIAN TILLAGE

"We have no time to sport away the hours; all must be earnest in a world like ours."

-Bonor

ELIZABETH ANN THOMAS

"The flower of meekness on a stem of grace."

-Montgomery

GEORGE MARTIN WALKER, JR.

"I do not know of any way so sure of making others happy as of being so one's self."

-Sir Arther Nelphs

The Seniors

NANCY GRAHAM WIATT

"I hate a thing done by halves; if it be right, do it boldly; if it be wrong leave it undone."

-Gilpin

SUSAN GATEWOOD WIATT

"The laughter of girls is, and ever was, among the delightful sounds of earth."

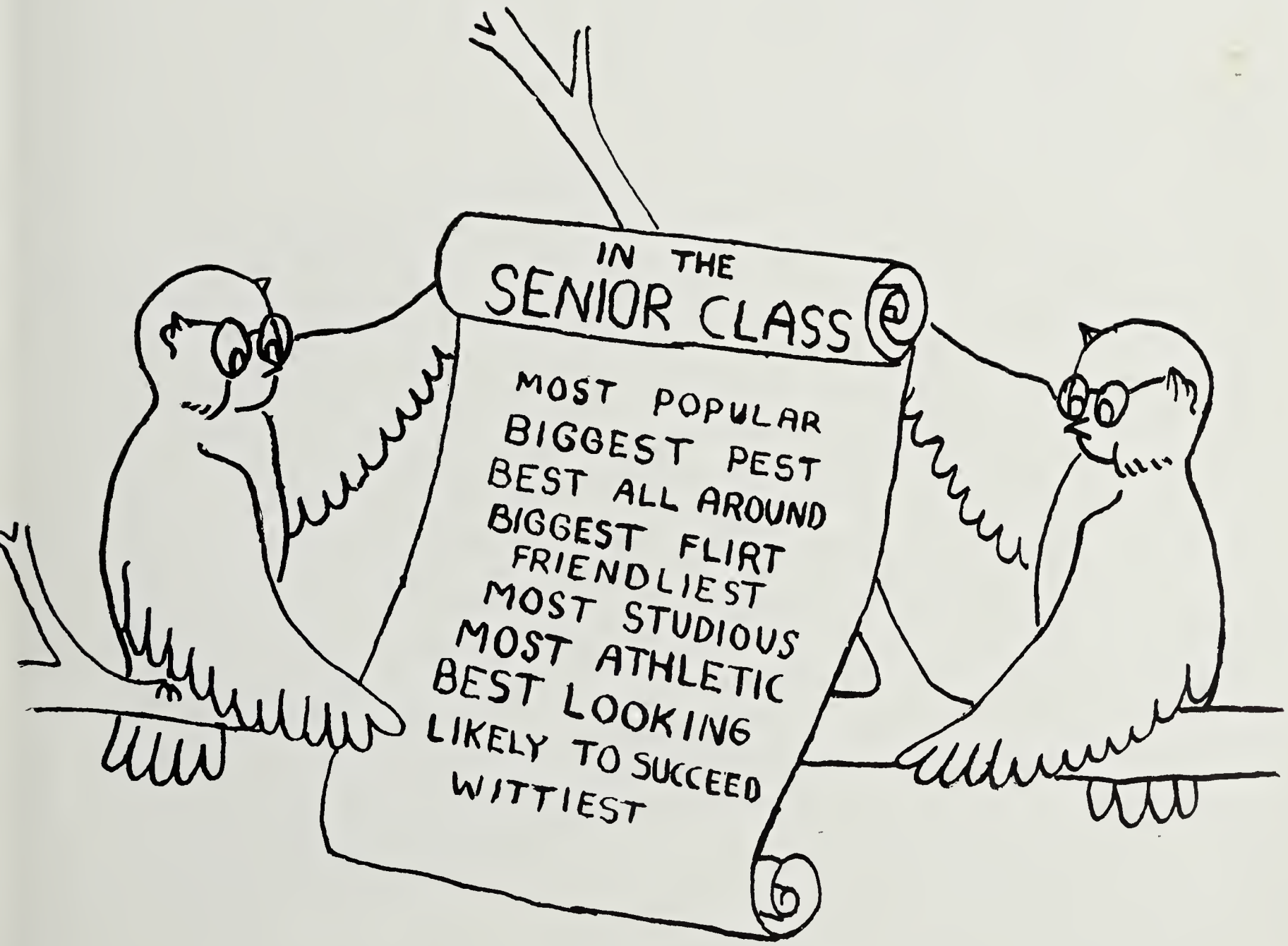
-De Quincey

NANCY LEE WILBURN

"I am never weary when I hear sweet music."

-Shakespeare

Who's Who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WITTIEST

MOST STUDIOUS

Nancy Speakman
Malcolm South

BIGGEST FLIRTS

Sue Marshall
Gene Meek

FRIENDLIEST

Ella Gray
Herbert Brown

WITTIEST
Barbara Clements
Herbert McCoy

BEST LOOKING

Christine Hogge
Bobby Leigh

MOST ATHLETIC

Annie Rowe
Sam Jenkins

BEST ALL AROUND

Gloria Sterling
Lionel Jordan

BIGGEST TEASE

Audrey Broaddus
Billy Robins

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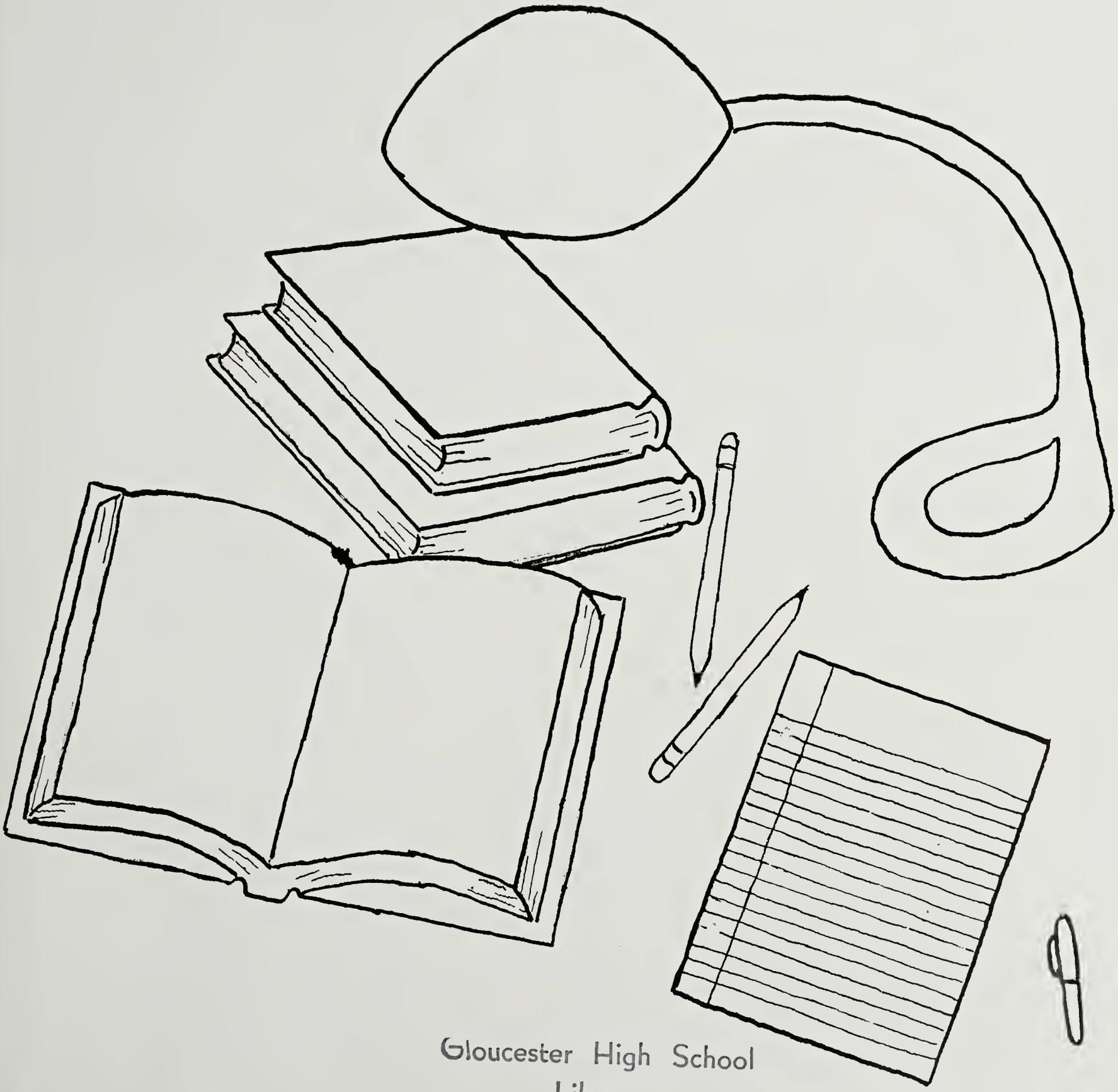
Donald Ambrose

MOST POPULAR

Susan Wiatt
John Hogge

Underclassmen



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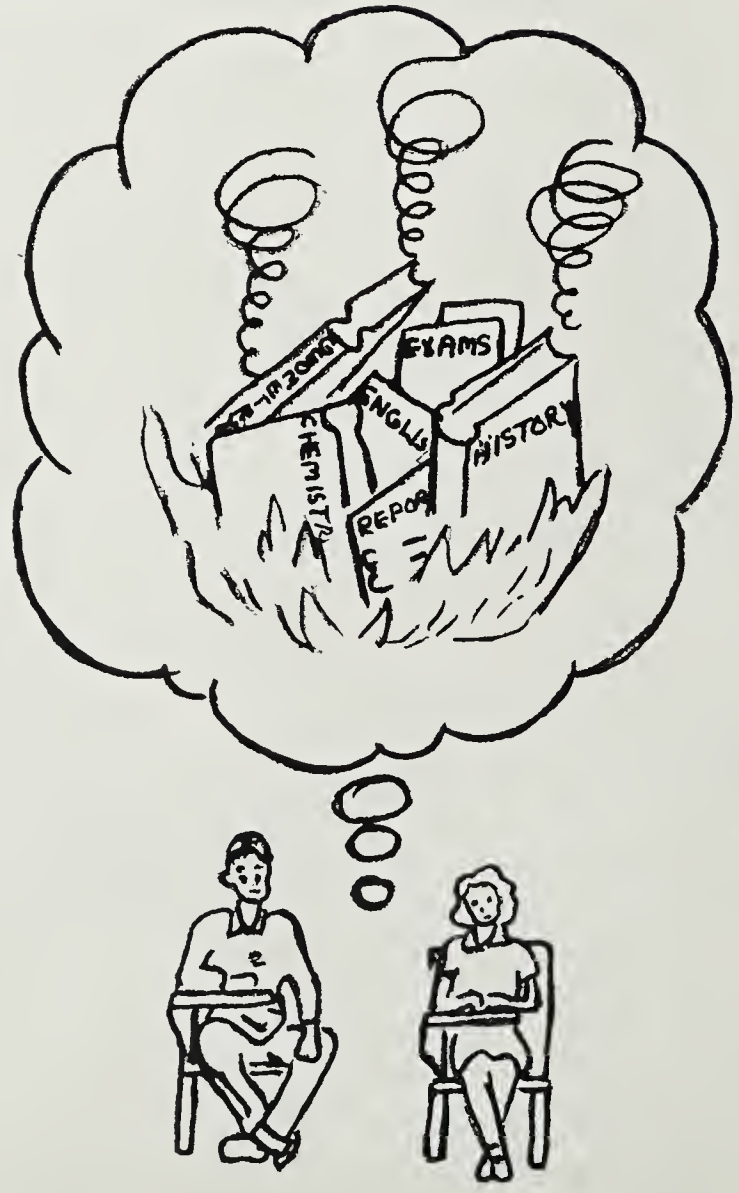

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Lena Mae Brown
Pat Burke

Juniors

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Raymond Burris
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Linwood Catlin

Earlene Chapman
Nina Clements
Phyllis Clements
Stuart Conner

Jerry Croswell
Mary Cushman
Raymond Davis
Kenneth Deal

Irving Dixon
Raymond Farris
Archie Ford
William German

Bernard Gwyn
Ann Hall
Barbara Ann Hall
Bernice Hall

Nan Harris
George Harwood
Billy Hogge
Ellis Hogge

Class of '56

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Norma Hogge
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Thomas Hogge
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Elizabeth Lollis

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Rayfield Oliver

Shirley Oliver
Alice Phelps
Kathleen Pointer
Barbara Robins

Billy Robins
Clifford Robbins
Dolores Robbins
Lorraine Robins

Edward Shackelford
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Harold Smith
Mary Louise Smith

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Dorothy Woodall

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Sylvia Rowe. . . . . Sec.
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Trula Meek . . . . Treas.

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Audrey Belvin
Barbara Belvin
Stanley Belvin
Freddie Blake
Jeanette Blake
Shirley Bonniville
Carter Borden
Betty Bridges
Alton Brown

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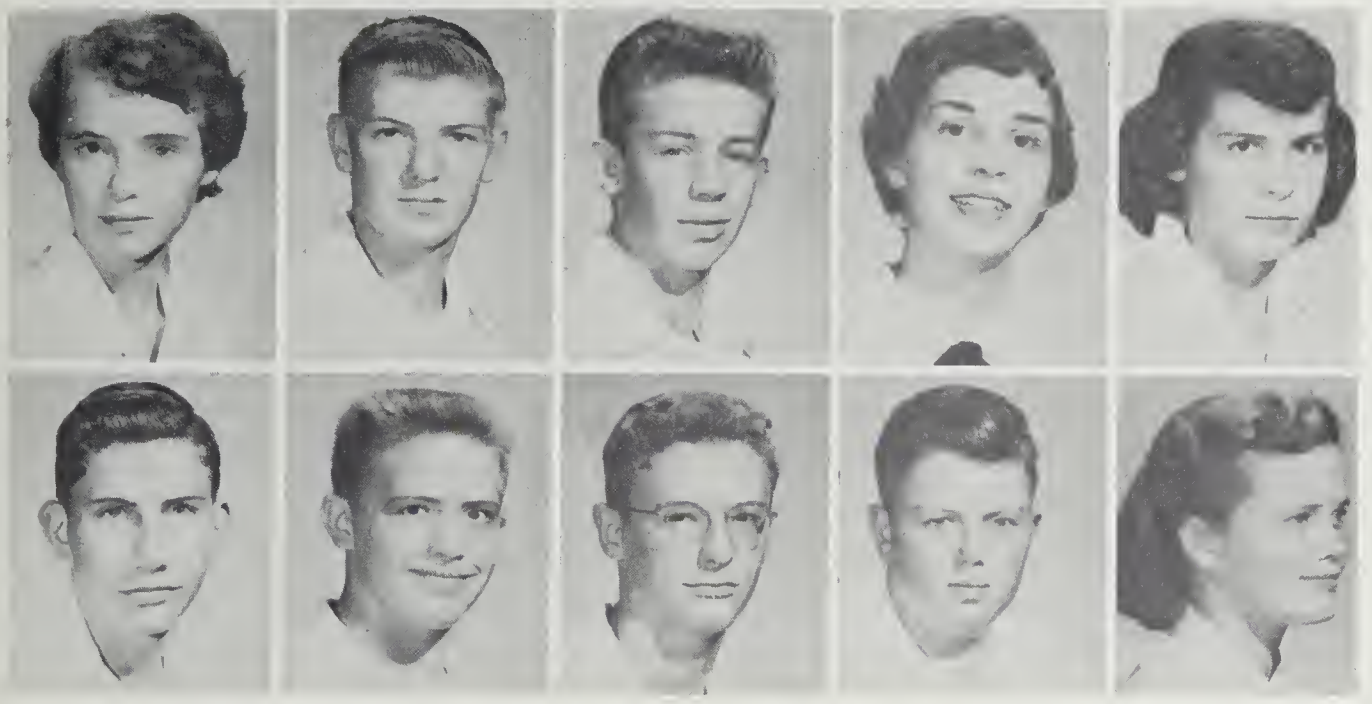

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Barbara Green

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David Hale
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Edward Hall
Nancy Hall

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Betty Hogge
Betsy Hogge

Robert Hogge
Herman Horsley
Richard Hunt
Margaret Jarvis
Audrey Jenkins

Betty Mae Jenkins
Charlotte Jenkins
Ruth Jenkins
Joan Lawson
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Nora Miller
Frances Moore
John Newcomb

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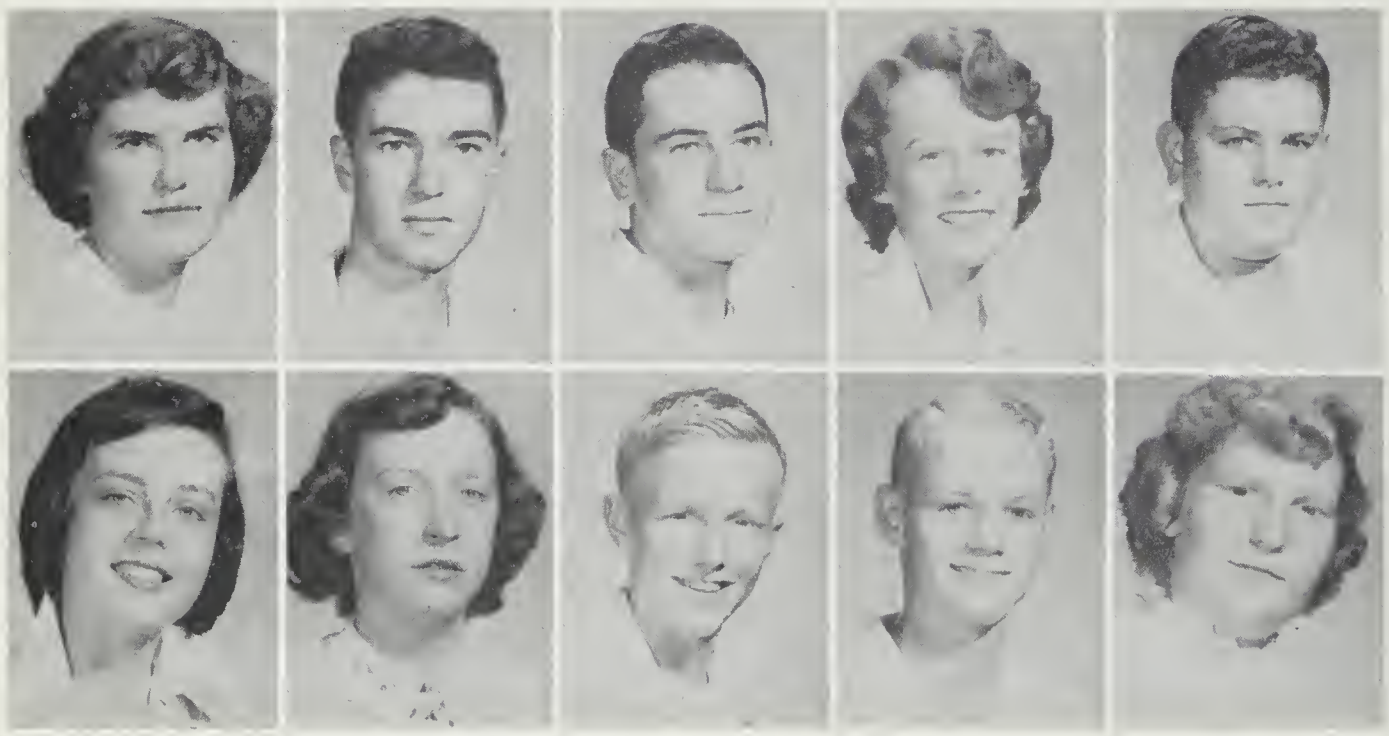
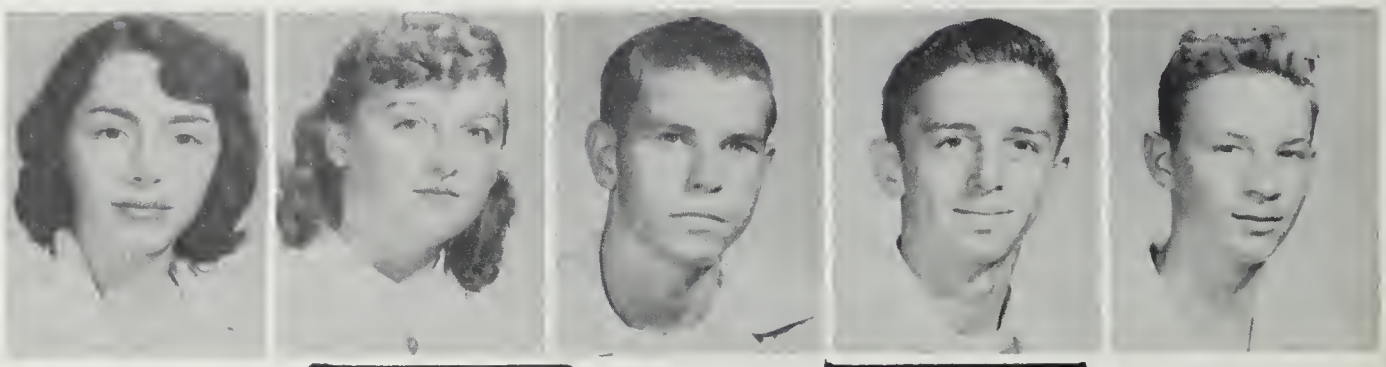


Gladys Smith
Herschel Smith
Thomas Speakman
Alice Sterling
Elmo Sterling

Nelda Sterling
Peggy Sterling
V. C. Sutton
Tom Talley
Mary Thompson



Ann Waddell
Elaine West
Jimmy West
William West
Dan Winters

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John Gray
James Lewis
Willie Robbins
Herman Sears
James Teagle

Class Officers

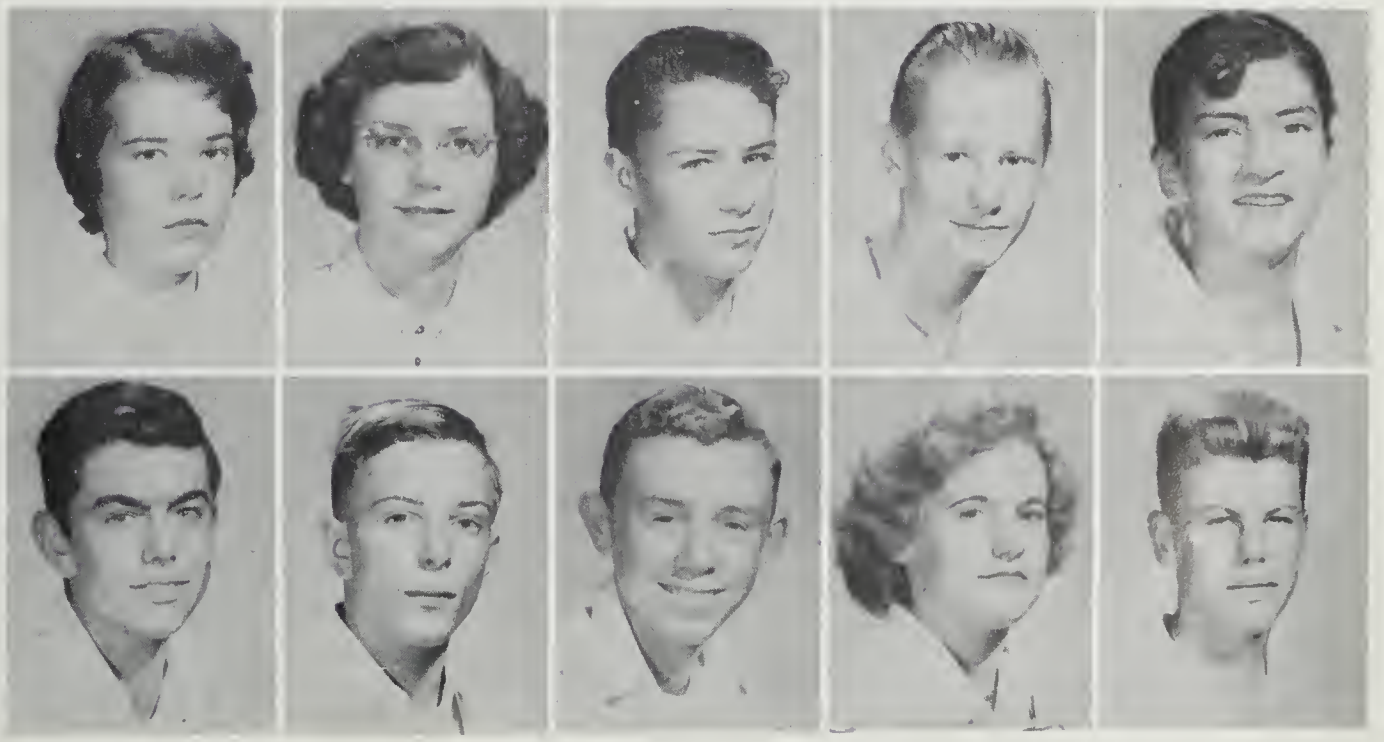
David Birdsall . . . . Rep.
Claudia Brown . . . . Pres.
Camille Phillips . Vice-Pres.
Bernard Ambrose . . Treas.
Dolores Kemp . . . . Sec.

Freshmen

Bernard Ambrose
Anne Belvin
Grace Belvin
Irma Belvin
Nanny Belvin

David Birdsall
Betty Mae Booker
Betsy Bonniville
Mary Bonniville
Lewis Brothers

Claudia Brown
Martha Brown
Boyd Bunting
Robert Bunting
Ann Carmine



Ernest Carmine
William Chalifaux
Ronald Clements
Barbara Coates
Edward Conner

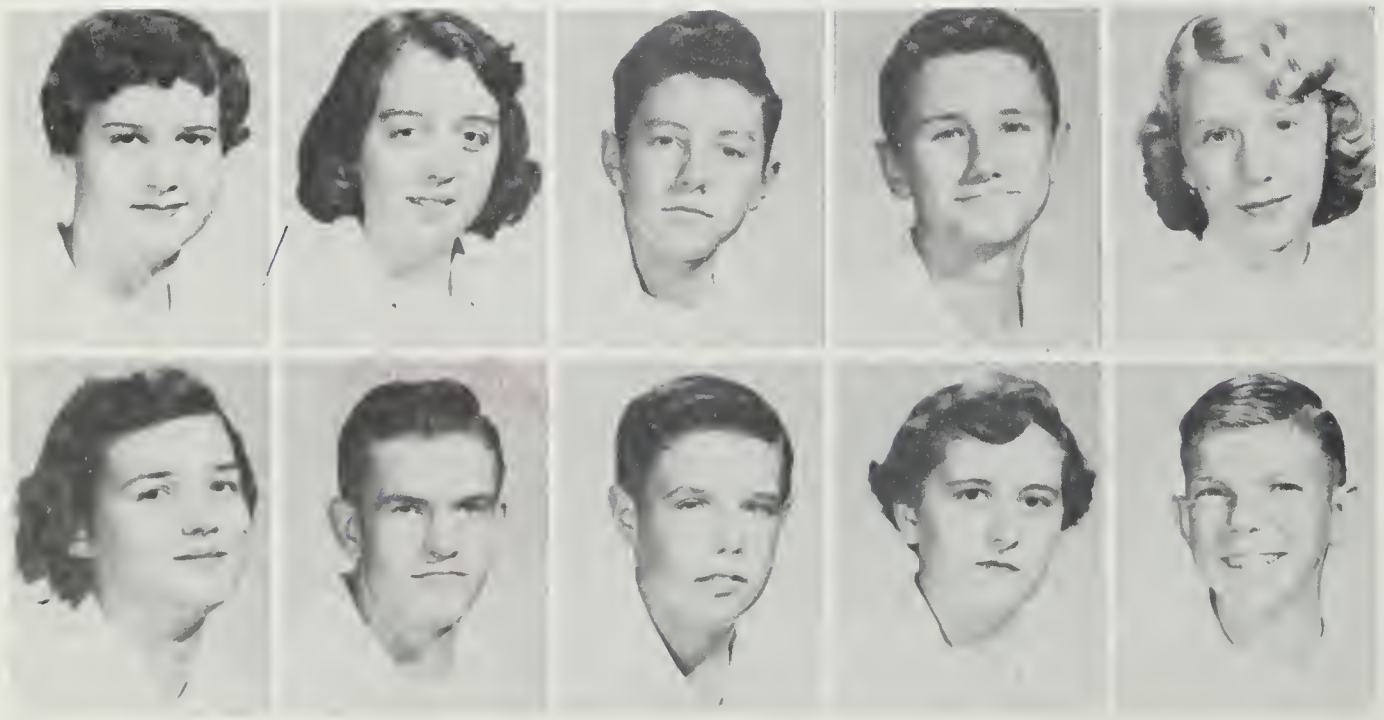
Class of '58

Mitchell Croswell
Delores Ewell
John Farinholt
Carrie Fields
Bobby Fletcher

Ward Ford
Jean Gantt
Lynn Gantt
Charlotte Goode
Elwood Hall

Hansford Hall
Linwood Harris
Janet Haynes
Mavis Heywood
Percy Hicks

Carolyn Hogg
Clinton Hogge
Jean Hogge
Judson Hogge
Angilee Horsley



Barbara Jenkins
Frances Jenkins
Arnold Johnston
Meredith Jones
Judy Jordan

Delores Kemp
Joesph King
Wayne Leigh
Frances Mahone
Daniel Marshall

Freshmen

Charles Miller
Camille Phillips
Rosalyn Quinn
Patricia Rilee
James David Rilee

Patricia Rowe
Sandra Sellars
Lois Smith
Mary Elizabeth Smith
Fred Stratton

Arthur Streagle
David Streagle
Martha Thompson
William Travis
Constance Walker

Melvin Walker
Gloria Walton
Billy Weaver
Joyce Mae West
Leona West

Marion West
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Gwyndolyn Wharton
Betty Jean White

Morris Williams
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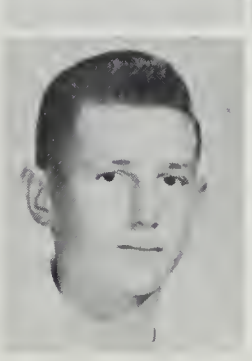

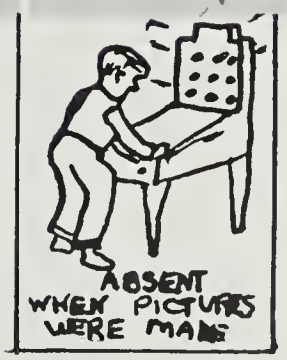

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Faye Robins . . . Vice-Pres.
Billy Andersen . . . Treas.

The Eighth Grade

Nancy Alexander
Billy Andersen
William Anderson
Mary Ashe
Joe Harvey Bailey
Shirley Bailey
Nancy Beamguard
Elliot Belvin
Romania Belvin
Sue Belvin
Carolyn Blake
Richard Bradley
Ada Bridges
Garland Bristow
Barbara Brown
Goldie Brown
Mildred Brown
Rosia Lee Brown
Robert Brown
Margarette Bunting
Daniel Carmine
Jimmy Chapman
Peggy Chapman
Barbara Clements

Class of '59

Rachel Clements
Barbara Coates
Mary Coates
Nina Crowder
Margaret Cushman
William Davis
Jerry Edwards
Brenda Emerson
Jean Ewell
Billy Friend
Jimmy Gray
Bertha Green
Eugene Green
Robert Green
Virginia Lee Green
Lemuel Gunn
Bobby Hall
Carolyn Hall
Carolyn Hall
David Hall
Phyllis Hall
Jimmy Harris
Woody Haynes
Barbara Heywood
Gloria A. Hibble
Jean Marie Hill
Claiborne Hogge
Maryus Hogge
David Hoffman
James Horsley
Bobby Hudgins
Barbara J. Jenkins
Betty M. Jenkins
Cecelia Jenkins
Harry Jenkins
Hilda Jenkins
James Jenkins
Jimmy Jenkins
Lois Jenkins
Percy Jenkins
Rachel Jenkins
Billy Jenkins
William Jenkins
Patricia Johnston
Rebecca Kellum
William Kemp
Aubrey King
William King
Frances Leigh
Reuben Lemon
Jane Lewis
Betty Mason
Margaret McCoy
Kay Mershon

The Eighth Grade

Lois Moore
Sylvia Oliver
Carol Oulahan
Shirley Owens
Dalton Phillips
Virginia Quillian
Jimmy Rilee
Charles Robins
Faye Robins
Steve Robbins
Herbert Ronk
Evelyn Rowe
Linwood Rowe
Robert Rowe
Rodgers Rowe
Virginia Lee Rowe
Frances Seawell
Alice Smith
Hilda Mae Smith
John Smith
June Smith
Norma Smith
Ronald Smith
Sylvia Smith
Viola Smith
William Smith
Richard South
Allen Sutton
Vaughan Sutton
Charles Stubblefield
Lola M. Swindeck
Susan Swindell
Murray Talley
Mona Thomas
Robert Tillage
Brook Treakle
Stephanie Wagner
Betty Ward
Susan Weaver
Ann West
Bernard West
Ellis West
Leroy West
Lola West
Lawrence West
Martha West
Annette Wilburn
Alice Faye Williams
Ranny Williams

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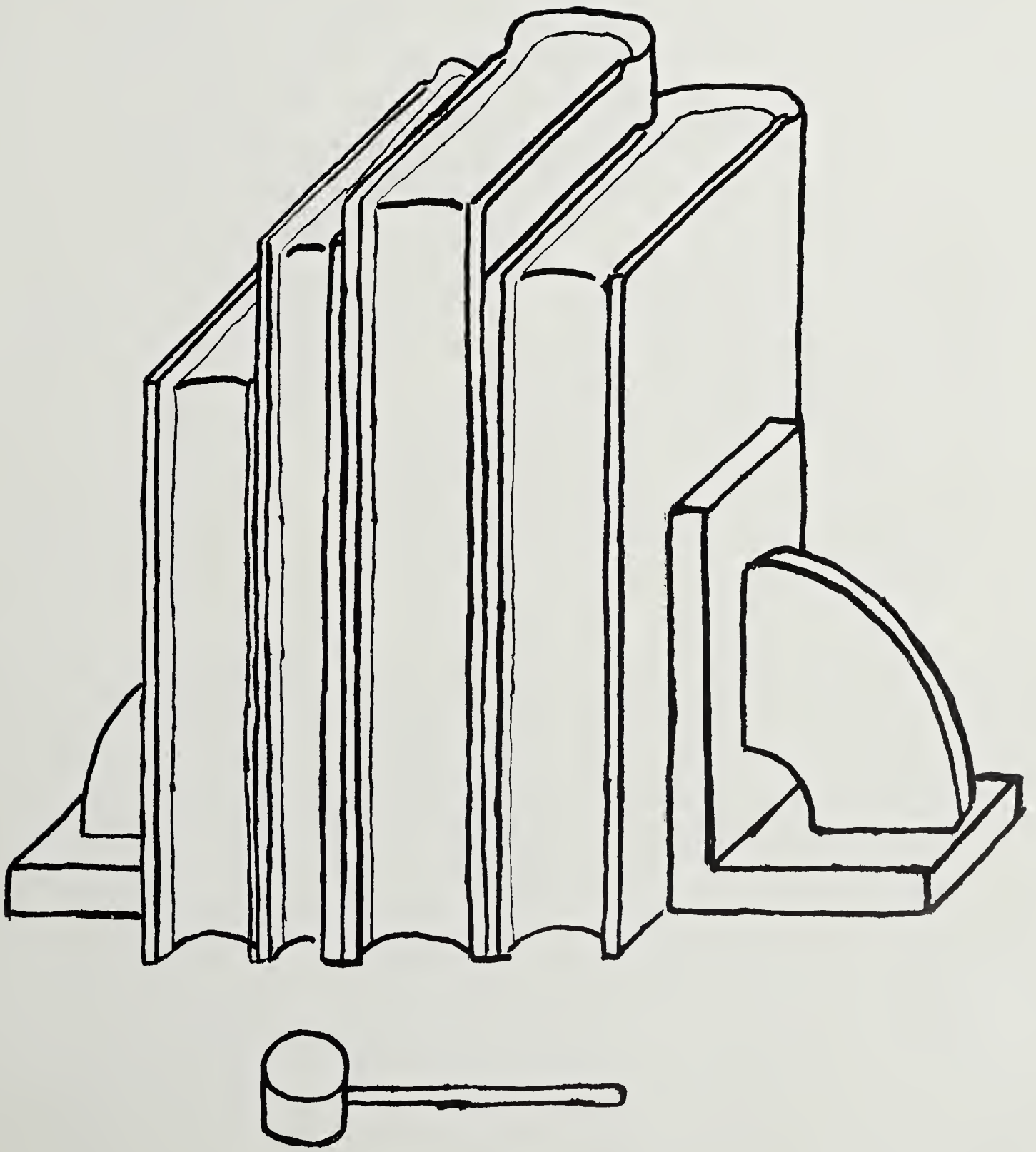
Lionel Jenkins
John Leggett
Phillip Mabry
Jerry Rose
Bruce Smith

Organizations



Ella Gray, Nancy Speakman, Lionel Jordan, Nancy Wiatt, Mrs. Treakle, Sally Gantt, Mary Ambrose.

The Annual Staff

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A Sporty Pair

At the Conference Table

The Gogetters

Happy? Yeah, Figure Happy!

They made it all click.

Student Cooperative Association

Nancy Wiatt-State Rep., Pat Burke-Sec. John Hogge-Pres., Ella Gray-Treas., Bernard Gwyn-Vice-Pres.

At the beginning of this year the Student Cooperative Association was honored by being selected as hostess to the sub-district S. C. A. meeting. From this meeting the council acquired many valuable ideas about making our S. C. A. more effective.

The most important project of the S. C. A. has been the writing of the school constitution and the establishment of the powers of the Student Council. Its principal objectives are to promote school spirit and citizenship and to support the Athletic Association. Throughout the year the S. C. A. has promoted dances, presented excellent assembly programs, and joined the state and national Student Cooperative Association as a means of meeting these objectives.

SEATED: Susan Wiatt, Nancy Hall, V.C. Sutton, Kay Mershon, Bernard Gwyn, John Hogge, Pat Burke, Ella Gray, Carolyn Hall, Mary Cushman, Sandra Hogge, Rachael Clements. STANDING: Sally Gantt, Judy Jordan, Susan Weaver, Bobby Hall, Earl Quillian, Betty White, Betty Booker, Sue Marshall, Mrs. Anderton.

FIRST ROW: Mr. Hall, Sterling, Jenkins, Jenkins, Rowe, West, Oliver, Jenkins, Ashe, Seawell, Hudgins, Lewis, Gray, Speakman, Mershon, SECOND ROW: Mershon, Emerson, Wilburn, Robins, Swindell, Ward, Smith, Walker, Moore, Belvin, Smith, Horsley, Rilee, Thompson. THIRD ROW: Birdsall, Lewis, Smith, West, Smith, Fields, Belvin, Swindeck, Coates, Osemond, Bridges, West. FOURTH ROW: Blake, Belvin, Gray, Blake, Seawell, Hogge, Brown, Quillian, Alexander, Hogge, McCoy, Stratton, Hicks, FIFTH ROW: Hudgins, Hall, Brothers, Stubblefield, King, King, Hall, Pierce, Weaver, Streagle, Birdsall, Tillage, Rowe. SIXTH ROW; Speakmen, Robins, Rowe, Farinholt, Ronk, Ronk, Miller, Jenkins Gray, Conner, Rilee, Smith. SEVENTH ROW: Smith, Harris, Mershon, Borden, Stratton, Jenkins, Talley, Bailey, South, Bristow, Chapman. EIGHTH ROW: Blake, Dame, Blake, Gray, Sealy, Chapman, Hall, Groome, Kemp, Hogge, Bradley, Phillips, and Jenkins.

The 4-H Club

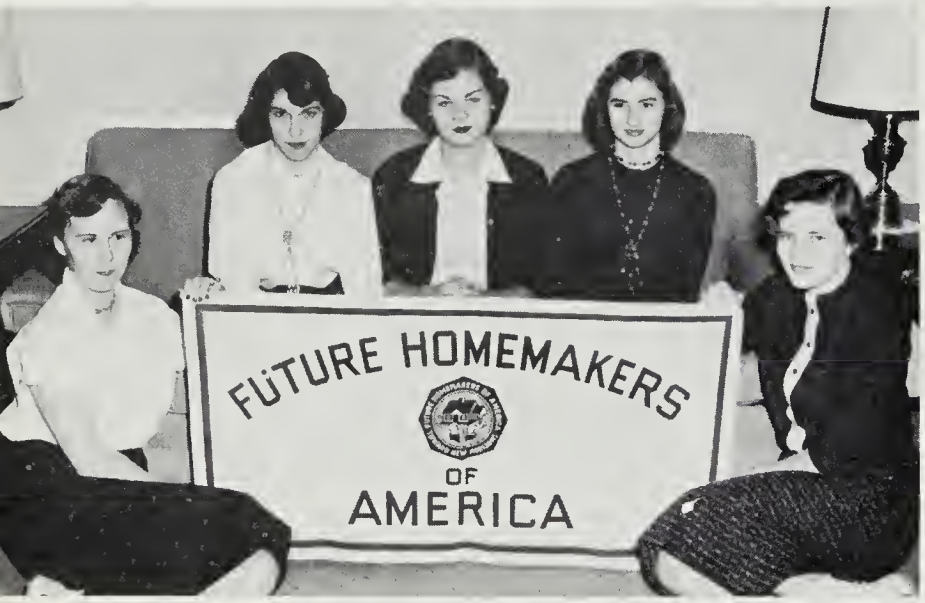
The 4-H Club of Gloucester High has attained a record of outstanding achievement on both the state and national level. Two of the four state judges for the National Dairy Show at Waterloo, Iowa, were from Gloucester. Two members were awarded watches for first place in the district at the 4-H Farm and Electric Congress. A representative to Boston on the Second State Poultry Judging team was also sent.

The "All-Stars", which are the outstanding members of the 4-H Club, are Ella Gray, Bernard Blake, Edry Jenkins, Nancy Speakman, and Gilbert Birdsall.

Mershon, Lewis, Speakman, Mershon, Birdsall, Rowe, Bridges, Gray. SECOND ROW: Bailey, Weaver, Mr. Hall, Hogg, Swindeck.

Future Homemakers Of America

Norma Hogge-Rep., Shelby Marshall-V. Pres.
Susan Wiatt-Pres., Kathleen Pointer-Sec.
and Nancy Hall-Treas.



One of the most important activities of the F. H. A. during this year was its participation in the World Christmas Festival through giving presents to be sent to teen-agers overseas.

The Club observed F. H. A. Week the first part of November, during which the members enjoyed a Skating Party and buffet supper with movies afterward, and as a body attended Union Baptist Church. The chapter sponsored two very successful dances, a jukebox dance and a Christmas Holly Hop. Joyce Shackelford was crowned Holly Queen, and had as her attendants Susan Wiatt and Christine Hogge.

FIRST ROW: A. Rowe, S. Wiatt, C. Hogg, B. Jenkins, D. Hogge, C. Jenkins, K. Pointer, S. Marshall, SECOND ROW: A. Kemp, S. Davis, B. Belvin, J. Shackelford, D. Ewell, D. Bradley, M. Lewis, C. Hogge, A. Broaddus, M. Wiatt. THIRD ROW: P. Mason, M. Alexander, A. Hall, C. Brown, C. Phillips, J. Jordan, G. Wharton, R. West, P. Rilee. FOURTH ROW: P. Clements, N. Clements, A. Belvin, C. Jenkins, S. Oliver, M. Thompson, N. Miller, E. Chapman, A. Newton. FIFTH ROW: S. Hogge, N. Harris, N. Hall, B. Hogge, C. Williams, M. Thompson, A. West, D. Carlton, E. Lollis, B. Hall.

FIRST ROW: Clyde Lollis, Russell Blake, Walter Ewell, Archie Ford, George Walker, Clyde Carlton, Milton German, Aubrey Bohannon, Earl Quillian. SECOND ROW: Fred Stratton, Bobby Leigh, Bobby Bunting, Hansford Hall, Charles Miller, William Gray, Ward Ford, Carter Borden. THIRD ROW: Edward Shackelford, Charles Robins, Irving Dixon, Joe Casey, Herman Sears, Edward Hall, John Gray, Bill Mershon. FOURTH ROW: Mr. Jewell and Mr. Via.

Future Farmers Of America

The F. F. A. has had a very busy and prosperous year. Some of the first projects of the year were the sponsoring of an F. F. A. calendar, selling magazines and F. F. A. pencils as a chapter. The boys entered 23 exhibits at the Tidewater Fair, winning 18 ribbons. The Club was host to the Tidewater Federation of F. F. A. for their all-day meeting. In accordance with National F. F. A. Week, the members put a display in Gloucester Courthouse, presented a radio program and an assembly for the high school students. The members have entered many of the competitive fields, including such teams as forestry, rifle, public speaking, and degree teams.

Mr. Jewell-Sponsor, Russell Blake-Secretary
Walter Ewell-Sentinel, Archie Ford-V. Pres.
George Walker-Pres., Clyde Carlton-Treas.

The Choral Club

Under the direction of Mr. Wells, the Choral Club has become a definite part of the school's activities. Although it is still a fairly new organization and has not yet given many performances, it has done much to vary the school curriculum and to broaden the interests of the students.

FIRST ROW: B. Mershon, J. Callis, M. Jarvis, B. Jenkins, C. Hogg, N. Wilburn, J. Barter, N. Wiatt, J. Ambrose, E. Gray, I. Belvin. SECOND ROW: J. Gantt, C. Walker, J. Lawson, N. Hall, L. Smith, B. Bonniville, J. Hogge, A. Hall, B. Clements, M. Cushman, N. Clements. THIRD ROW: C. Hogge, L. Gantt, B. Booker, M. Ambrose, D. Robbins, M. Rowe, C. Coates, A. Gantt, D. Mershon, A. Broaddus, J. Jordan. FOURTH ROW: P. Sterling, A. Sterling, A. Waddell, P. Carr, A. Booker, M. Brown, S. Wiatt, C. Fields, B. White, S. Sellars. FIFTH ROW: T. Speakman, B. Hall, G. Birdsall, B. Burnett, H. Brown, H. Sears, D. Ambrose, H. Shackelford, D. Birdsall.

The Band

The band, in its second year, is under the direction of Mr. Raleigh Wells. This year for the first time, Band is being taught as a subject to develop a larger and better trained group. With continued support from the Band Booster Club and the students, we hope to have in time, a marching and concert band.

Mr. Wells---Director

Ann Waddell, Daisy Proctor, Cathryn Jenkins, Betty White, Mrs. Harris, Clarice Hall, Jeanette Blake, Betty Hogge, Irma Belvin. SEATED: Melissa Rowe, Norma D. Hogge, Angilee Horsley, Carrie Fields, Ruth Jenkins, Sylvia Rowe, Carolyn Williams, and Martha Thompson.

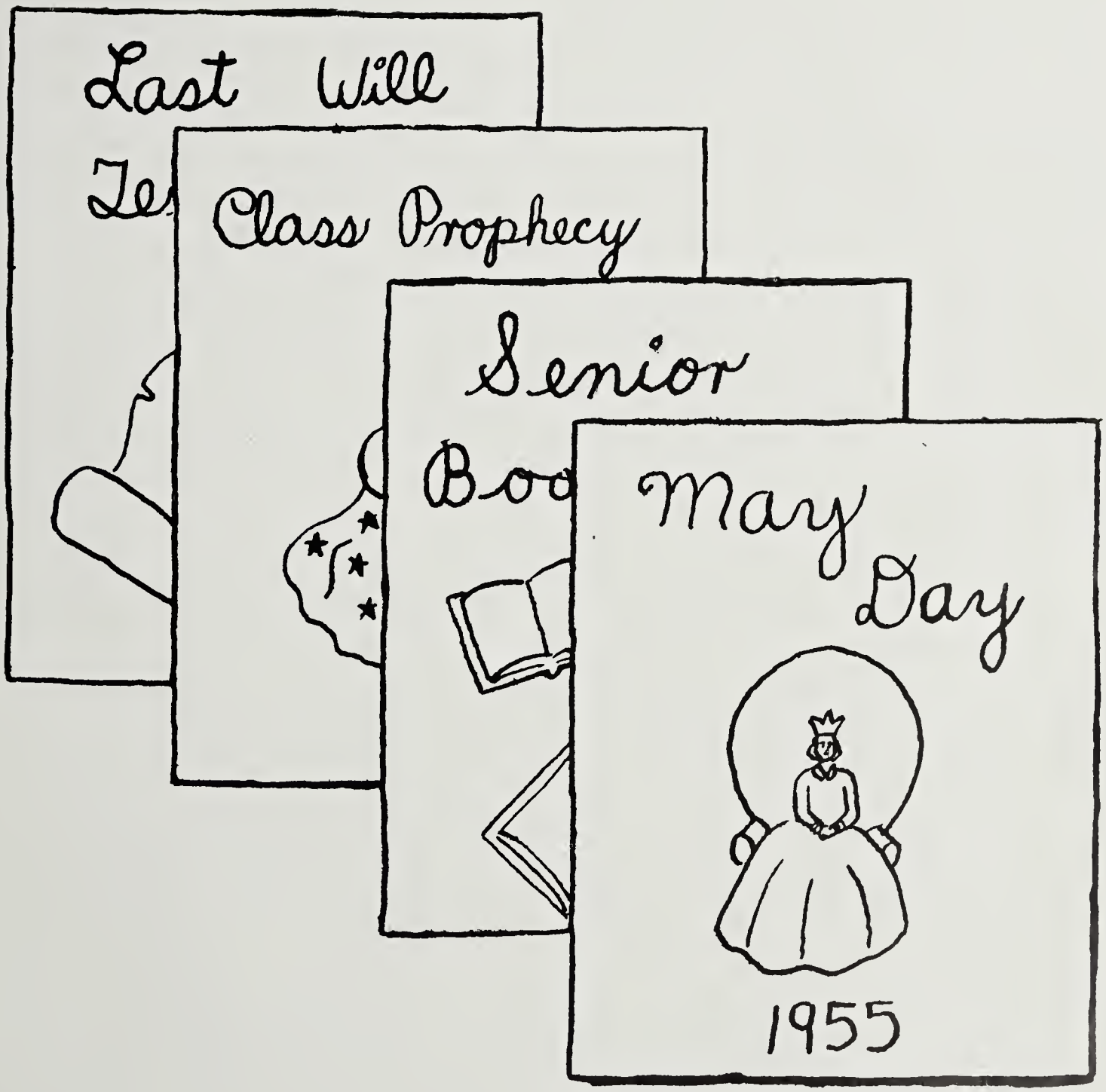
Library Club

Carolyn Williams-Treasurer, Betty Hogge-President, Norma Hogge-Secretary, Martha Thompson-Vice-President, and Cathryn Jenkins-Reporter.

Our library is improving daily under the direction of Mrs. Harris, our librarian, and her staff of sixteen assistants. We now have approximately three thousand two hundred and fifteen volumes of books and receive regularly thirty-two magazines.

During the year the library has had on display several art exhibits from the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. Also, we have a letter in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Walter Reed, sent to us by his daughter, Mrs. Blossom Reed.

Features



Last Will And Testament Of The Class Of 1955

We, the graduating class of 1955 of Gloucester High School, being of sound, weary minds but of great ambitions, do hereby establish this Last Will and Testament.

ITEM I

To the Faculty, we leave the most sincere appreciation for all the help they have given in guiding us throughout high school and for tolerating us for so many years.

ITEM II

To the Junior Class, we leave our "dignity" as Seniors and our front seats in assembly.

ITEM III

To the Sophomores, we leave the courage to live through the next two years of hard work!

ITEM IV

To the Freshmen, we bequeath the right to finish high school in three more years--not four!

ITEM V

To the Eighth Grade, we leave the privilege to stand up for their rights as underclassmen.

ITEM VI

We, MARY AMBROSE and MARY BROWN, leave our smiles and not a frown.
I, WEYMAN SMITH, do bequeath my wavy hair to Mr. Heath.
I, EDRY JENKINS, leave crutches two, to Herman Hogge to walk him through.
I, ARTHUR EASTWOOD, will my quiet way to the far from quiet Schylor Clay.
We, the CLYDES of class '55, leave the Juniors the right to survive.
We, the NANCY's, of which our class has 4, leave our grades to Frances Moore.
We, CHRISTINE HOGGE and CHRISTINE SEARS, leave our laughter and none of our tears.
We, BARBARA CLEMENTS and JANE DEAL, leave Mrs. Treakle an eight course meal.
I, SAM JENKINS, who like to play ball, leave next year's team to win'em all.
I, BILLY MASON, leave my old school bus to Buddy Burnette although it makes quite a fuss.
We, HERBERT BROWN and DONALD AMBROSE, leave our dizzy fingers and take our woes.
We, SUE and GENE, leave our flirting skill, to Mary Hyde Chism and Bill Hill.
We, HERBERT and NELL McCOY, leave our drawls to Mr. Kilroy.

ITEM VI (cont.)

I, GLORIA STERLING, will freckles many to Jerry Croswell who doesn't have any.
I, WALTER EWELL, with greatest love will to Carter Borden my baseball glove.
We, the JOYCES of this Senior class, leave the Freshmen the right to pass.
I, WILLIE SEAWELL, who talk way down, leave my voice to James Alton Brown.
We, DOROTHY MERSHON and DOROTHY BRADLEY, leave our homework-but not sadly.
We, ROSS and ROYCE, who are oft' times confused, leave the brains that we haven't used.
I, MELISSA LEWIS, loving fun, leave my good humor to everyone.
We, BOBBY and ASHTON LEIGH leave our speed to Vaughn and V. C.
We, JOAN STRATTON and HELEN CROWDER, leave Archie Ford the right to talk louder.
We, RODGERS BROWN and GRAHAM BLAKE, leave Clarence Smith the straight A's to make.
We, ELIZABETH ANN THOMAS and SALLY GANTT, would leave our talent, but we can't.
We, ROBERT B. and ROBERT P. leave our smiles to Miss Mary C.
We, JOHN HOGGE and JOHN DEAL leave the Junior boys our sex appeal.
We, CATHRYN JENKINS and LORETTA GREEN, leave our skates to Barbara Jean.
We, GEORGE and LIONEL, leave our height to the best basketball player that comes in sight.
I, PATTY GADDY, will Julius LaRosa to Sylvia Rowe, who loves him the mos'a.
We, MALCOLM SOUTH and WILLIAM GRAY, leave our talents to study and play.
We, SHELBY JEAN and AUDREY FAYE, bequeath our ability to talk all day.
We, BILLY ROBBINS and CURTIS HOGGE, leave John Farinholt still in a fog.
I, CLARICE HALL, will my neat little "figger" to Betty Hogge with the hope she won't get bigger.
We, CHARLES and MILTON, being of sound mind, leave our school days far behind.
I, NORMA DeHART, will my big brown eyes to Herman Sears to use when he cries.
I, PEE WEE QUILLIAN, will my football suit to Reuben Lemon. Won't he look cute?
I, ANNIE ROWE, who find it hard to keep quiet, leave my talent to Margaret Wiatt.
We, CRISSY TILLAGE and TOMMY BUNTING, leave the Junior boys our skill in hunting. (GIRLS)
I, SUSAN WIATT, will my big mouth to quiet and shy Mildred South.
We, GILBERT BIRDSALL and BERNARD BLAKE, leave the Gray boys our judging place to take.
I, ELLA GRAY, who drew up this will, leave my good wishes instead of a bill.

Signed: Ella L. Gray

Witnessed: Elizabeth G. Treadle
Witnessed: Mary A. Catlett

Bess | Miltie | Kathy | Curly | Nursing

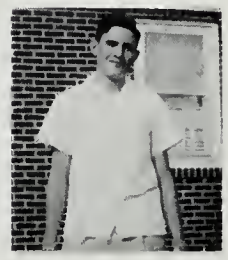
Snaps | Farmboy | Blondie | Poe | Nancy | Buckaroo

Ironman | Just Me | Mutt and Jeff | Laura | Egg and I

Flirt | Hotrod | Devinci | Sleepy | Nell | Gray Eyes

Tommy | Untamed | Mr. Bones | Shorty | J. James | Spitfire

Mr. Music | Audrey | Droopy | Loafer | Tipsy | Dimples



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Sonnyboy

Puppy

Crazylegs

Smiles

Jumper

Darkeyes

Shack

Rachel

Air Ace

Touchdown

Big Deal

Giggles

Three Pigs

Whispers

Doc

Freckles

Brahma

Daredevil

D. Duck

Helen

C. Jones

Speedy

Mary Anne

Farmer

Jane Eyre

Jenks

Cutie

M'Lasses

Headwind

So Big

Winkie

Proudway

Foxy

Class Prophecy

In the year 1968 I decided to tour the U. S. and then return to Gloucester, my old home town, and locate some of my classmates. Great things had happened since that night in June 1955 when we all solemnly walked down the aisle to receive our diplomas. For instance, there is Sally Gantt, a concert pianist in Rome, Italy; Nancy Speakman, a famous artist in Madrid, Spain; and Barbara Clements, a dress designer in Paris, France.

The rest of my old classmates had all made names for themselves here in the U. S.

Before I left New York City, where I now live, I attended a double concert given at Carnegie Hall by Donald Ambrose and Herbert Brown. Also living in New York are Melissa Lewis, stenographer, and Patty Gaddy, typist, employed by Julius LaRosa; and living on Long Island, Mary Anne Brown is now married to a handsome Admiral in the Navy.

After leaving New York, I next stopped at Atlantic City, New Jersey, where the annual Miss America Pageant was being held. The Master of Ceremonies was none other than Curtis Hogge; and the Judges were Christine Sears, Jane Deal, and Christine Hogge, noted Fashion and Beauty Experts. The next day I left Atlantic City and travelled to Washington, D. C. Many of my classmates seemed to have found their way to the nation's capital. Clyde Casey is now connected with the F. B. I. and under him are Graham Blake, Charles Robins and Rodgers Brown. While talking to them, I learned that Malcolm South and Nancy Wiatt were in Tennessee doing research for the Atomic Energy Commission.

From Washington I flew directly to Detroit, Michigan. Upon my arrival at the hotel I was greeted by an attractive and efficient receptionist who was none other than Sue Marshall. From Sue I learned that Weyman Smith and Billy Mason were the sole owners of this elaborate hotel. Sue arranged a celebration dinner with more of my old classmates who had found success here in Detroit. They were Earl Quillian, Robert Bockrath, Bobby Leigh and Ashton Leigh who were top executives in the automobile industry. After a most enjoyable stay in Detroit, I said good-by to my old friends and continued my journey to San Francisco, California. In San Francisco I visited Loretta Greene and Cathryn Jenkins who were employed as secretaries there. While visiting with them, I learned that Clarice Hall was also here in California teaching school, and Edry Jenkins was a famous architect.

Having little time to spend in California, I hurriedly said good-by to Cathryn and Loretta and went to Las Vegas, Nevada. There I found Nancy Wilburn singing in a fashionable resort. I spent a few days with her, and then flew to Houston, Texas where I located three more of my old friends, Bernard

Blake, Robert Plentovich and George Walker. Bernard and George were doing marvelous work in agriculture, and Robert was an engineer. My last stop before going to Gloucester was Miami, Florida. I arrived there just in time to see Billy T. Robins and Willie Seawell, the former in the Navy and the latter in the Marines. From them I learned that Mary Virginia Ambrose and Elizabeth Ann Thomas were in Bermuda attending a music convention.

From Miami I flew directly to Gloucester. I had not been home long before Audrey Broaddus breezed in. She was Director of Nurses at Johns Hopkins Hospital where Lionel Jordan was head surgeon. Audrey told me that Dorothy Bradley was also a nurse and that Nell McCoy was happily married to John Earl Deal. I also learned that Joyce Shackelford and Helen Crowder were married and rearing a family. As Audrey sat chatting away, she told me that Nancy Clements, Shelby Owens and Joyce Hogg were private secretaries in Richmond, Virginia.

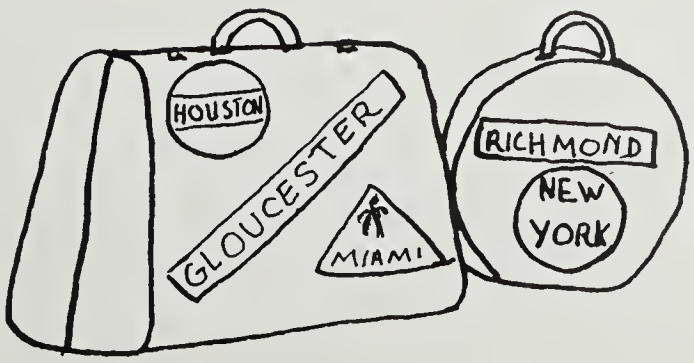
The phone rang; when I answered, the pleasant voice of Joan Stratton came across the wire. It was a long-distance call from Ella Gray, now a top figure in Journalism. She told me that Susan Wiatt was President of Mary Washington College and Gloria Sterling was teaching Business Education. After telling Ella good-by, I returned to Audrey who was still talking a mile-a-minute. She said that William Gray, Clyde Carlton, and Arthur Eastwood were very successful farmers here in Gloucester. They had employed as their foremen, Clyde Lollis, Royce Newton, and Milton German.

Later on I found out that Sam Jenkins was playing football for the Cleveland Browns, John Hogge for the Detroit Lions, and Herbert McCoy for the Washington Redskins. It seemed that William and Mary College had become home for Tommy Bunting, head coach; Gilbert Birdsall, agriculture instructor; and Dorothy Mershon, English professor.

Later on that day, I was driving up the road when the wail of a siren caused me to pull to the side. When the Trooper came to my car, I found it was Gene Meek now with the State Police. While he was writing my ticket, he told me that Walter Ewell and Ross Kilpatrick were in the used-car business, and that Annie Ruth Rowe was coaching basketball in West Virginia.

When I returned to my home, I settled back in my easy chair with a feeling of contentment and satisfaction. Seeing and hearing from my old classmates had been a wonderful experience.

Norma Jane DeHart

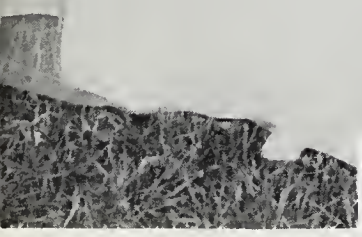


May Queen

Miss Christine Hogge

Members Of The Court

Nina Ruth Clements
Mary Fern Alexander
Marie Belvin
Alice Lee Kemp
Alice Sterling
Joyce Shackelford
Betty White



Maid Of Honor

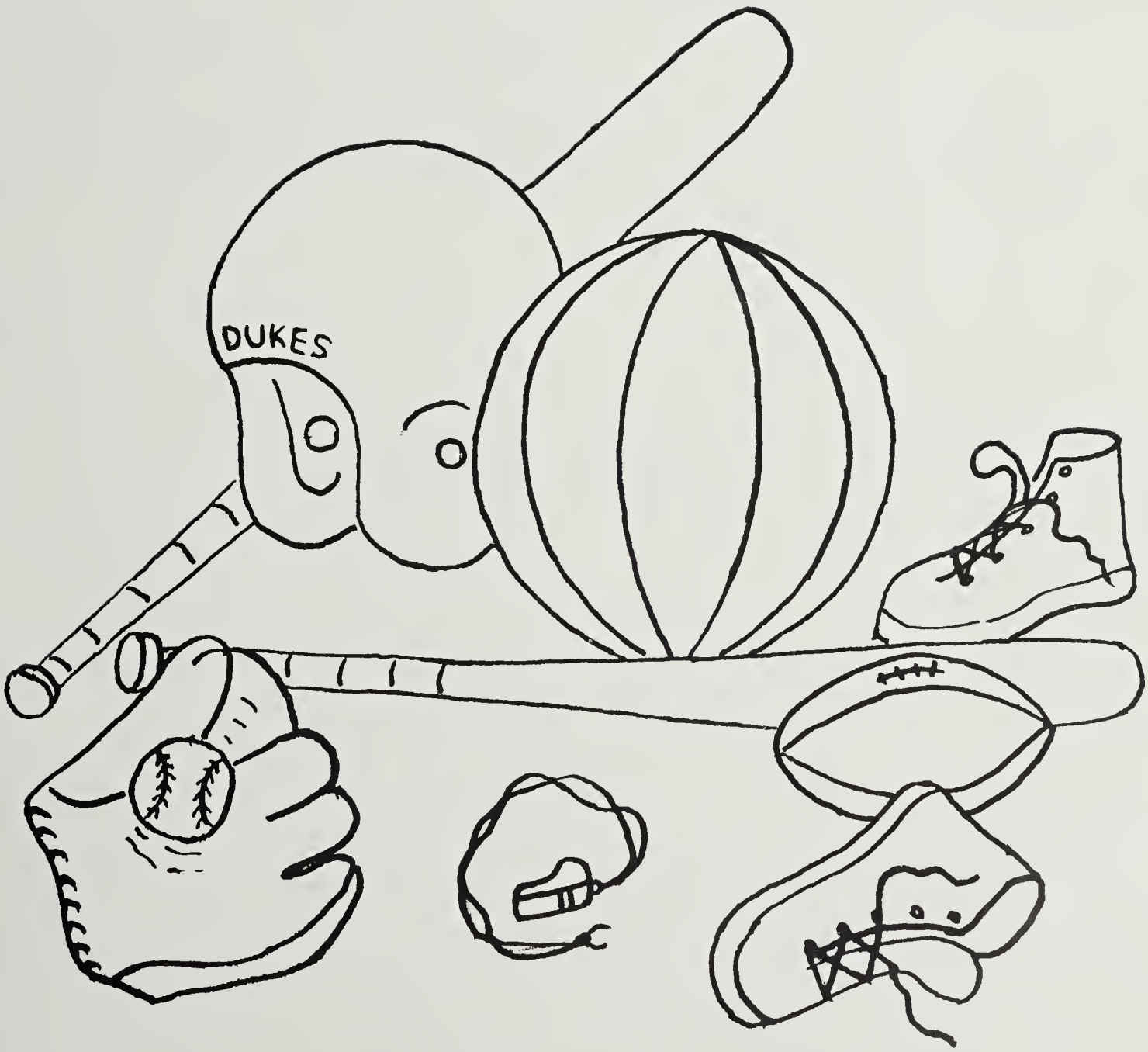
Miss Nancy Wiatt

Members Of The Court

Cathryn Jenkins
Claudia Brown
Jane Callis
Nancy Hall
Audrey Broaddus
Bettie Booker
Susan Wiatt

1. Smell good, Bobby?
2. By the sea
3. What's the joke?
4. Where's Santa Claus?
5. Taking a break
6. Riding high
7. Steady Twosome
8. Diet's off!
9. Spring Fever
10. Sitting Pretty
11. Long, long ago

Sports



FIRST ROW: Coach John Bednarik, Royce Newton, Lionel Jordan, Sam Jenkins, Earl Quillian, Edry Jenkins, Walter Ewell, Herbert McCoy, John Hogge, Robert Burton, Asst. Coach. SECOND ROW: James Lewis, Manager; Arthur Streagle, Buddy Harris, Buddy Burnett, Herman Hogg, Eugene Brown, Rayfield Oliver, Stuart Conner, Archie Ford, Frank West, Ray Farris. THIRD ROW: Fred Stratton, Carter Borden, Bill Mershon, Bobby Hall, James Riley, John Newcomb, Charles Sears, Edward Conner. NOT SHOWN; Clyde Lollis, Herman Sears.

Football

Gloucester	0	Churchland	33
Gloucester	21	Matthew Whaley	12
Gloucester	36	Christ Church	0
Gloucester	6	Virginia Beach	32
Gloucester	14	Poquoson	0
Gloucester	53	Norfolk Academy	0
Gloucester	43	York	0
Gloucester	7	Varina	7
Gloucester	32	Franklin	0

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"Hey, Sam! Don't let
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"Hold it, Mister!
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Coaches Bednarik and Burton planning strategy for Saturday's game with Co-Captains Jenkins and Quillian.

FIRST TEAM IN ACTION: R. E. Herbert McCoy, R. T. Earl Quillian, R. G. Buddy Burnett, C. Edry Jenkins, L. G. Archie Ford, L. T. Herman Hogg, L. E. Walter Ewell, QB. John Hogge, R. H. Lionel Jordan, FB. Sam Jenkins, L. H. Rayfield Oliver.

"Bones, touchdown bound!"

"Brahma Bull on the rampage."

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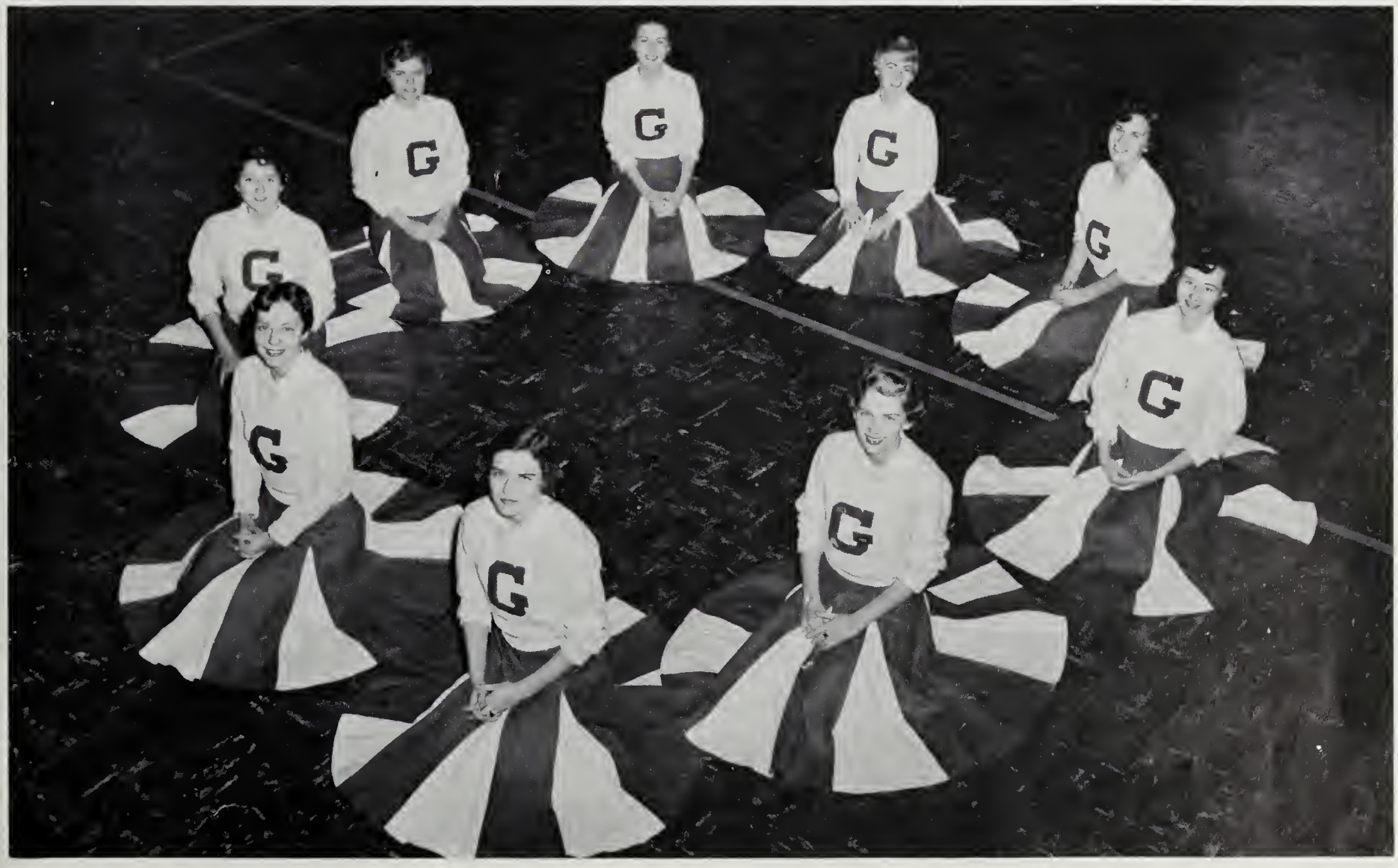
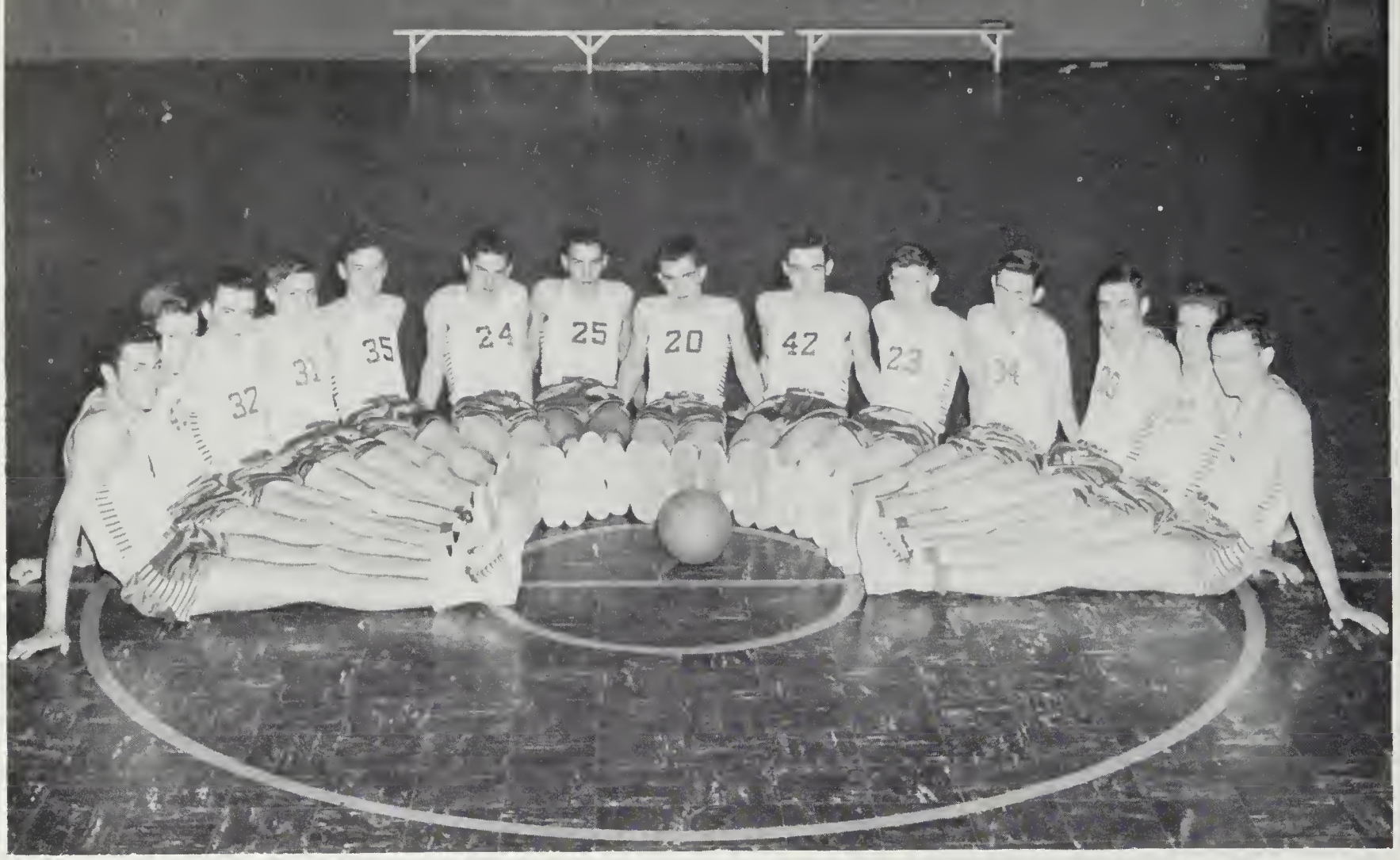
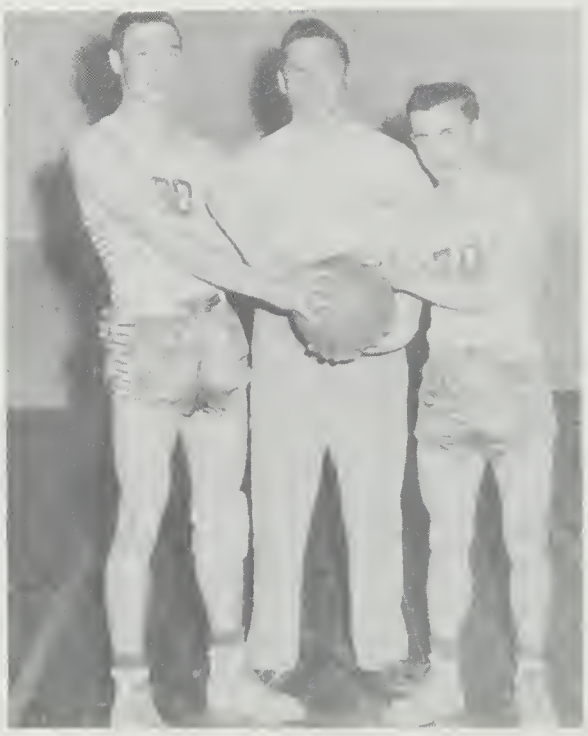




George Walker, Lawrence Hoffman, Richard Hunt, David Hale, Bobby Hall, Frank West, Billy Hogge, John Hogge, Gilbert Birdsall, Mitchell Dunston, Herbert McCoy, Sam Jenkins, Robert Plentovich, and Lionel Jordan.

Boys' Basketball Team

GHS 29	Norfolk Cath.	48	
GHS 34	New Kent	30	
GHS 39	Matthew Whaley	41	
GHS 44	York	35	
GHS 38	Suffolk	59	
GHS 64	Deep Creek	40	
GHS 50	Mathews	29	
GHS 62	Matthew Whaley	37	
GHS 77	Prince George	30	
GHS 44	Smithfield	55	
GHS 37	Va. Beach	56	
GHS 41	Churchland	78	
GHS 48	Franklin	35	
GHS 55	Great Bridge	37	
GHS 38	Princess Anne	60	
GHS 50	Poquoson	35	



Coach Bednarik with Co-Captains Jenkins and Hogge

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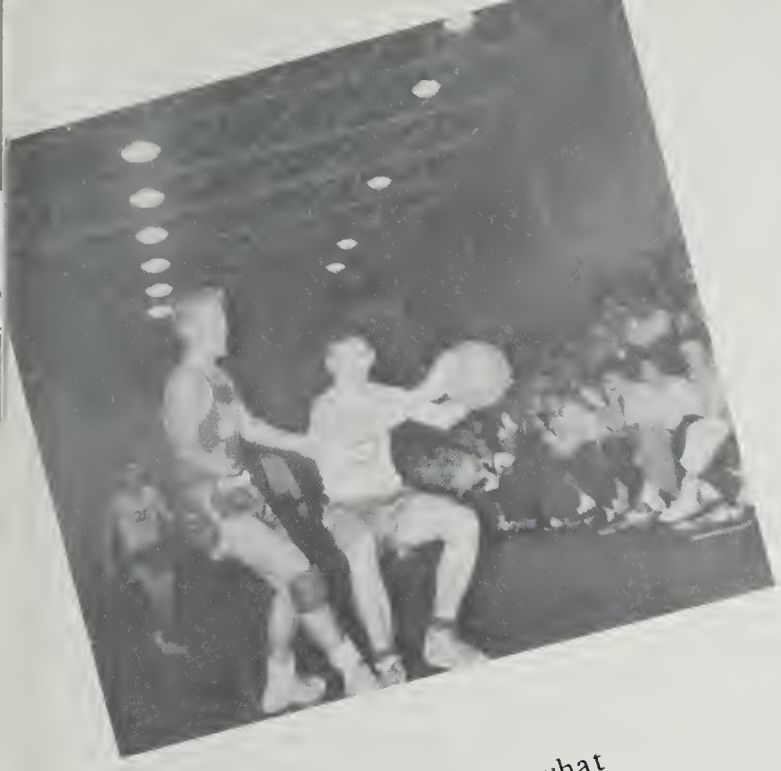
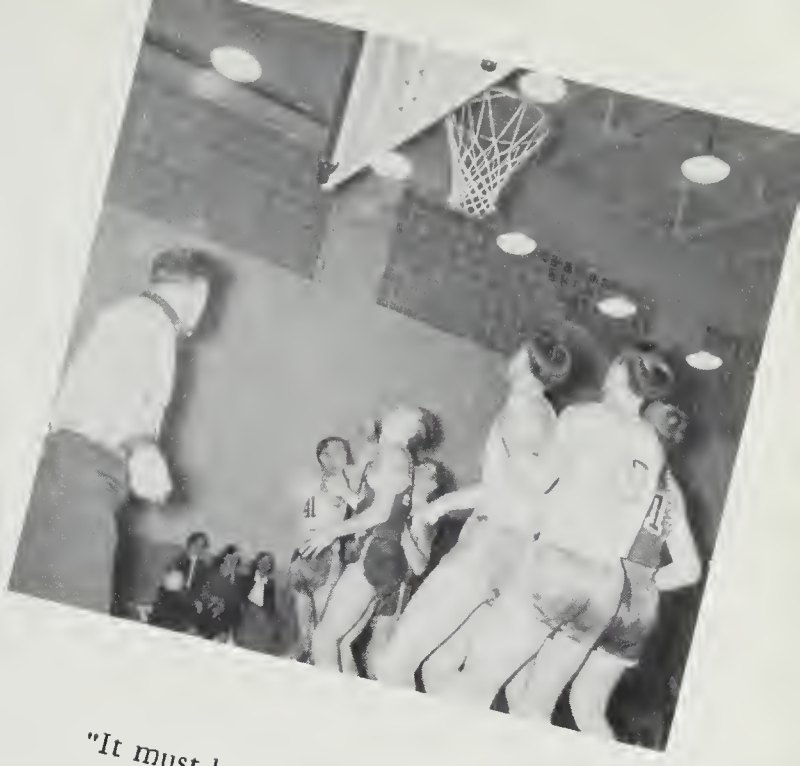
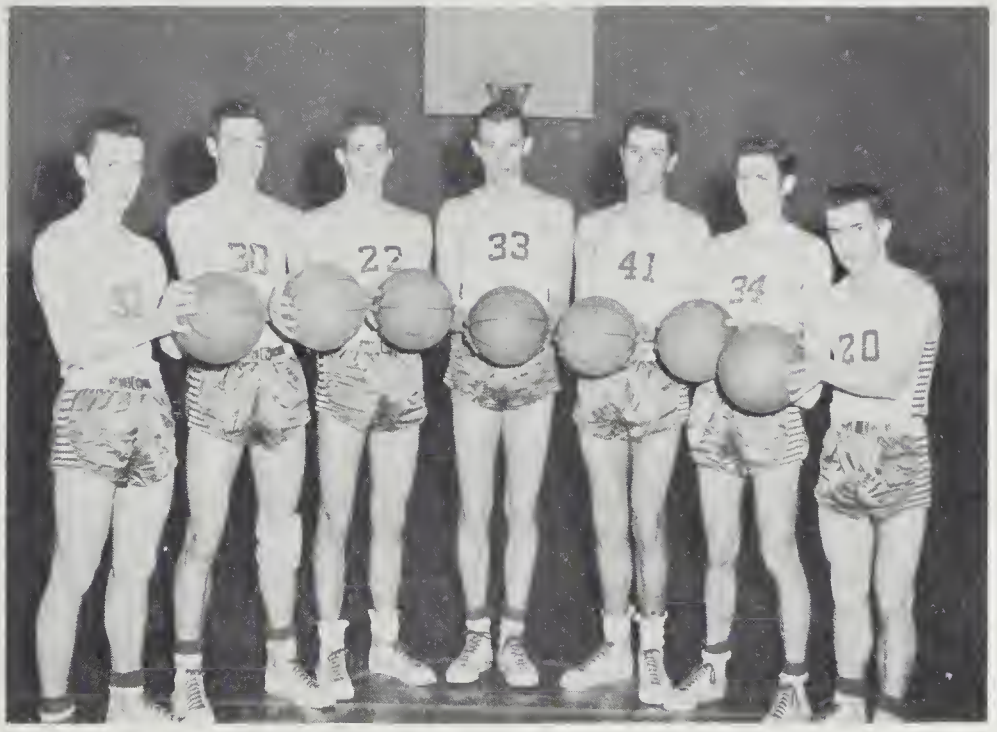


"Oh! Richard, what pretty legs you have!"

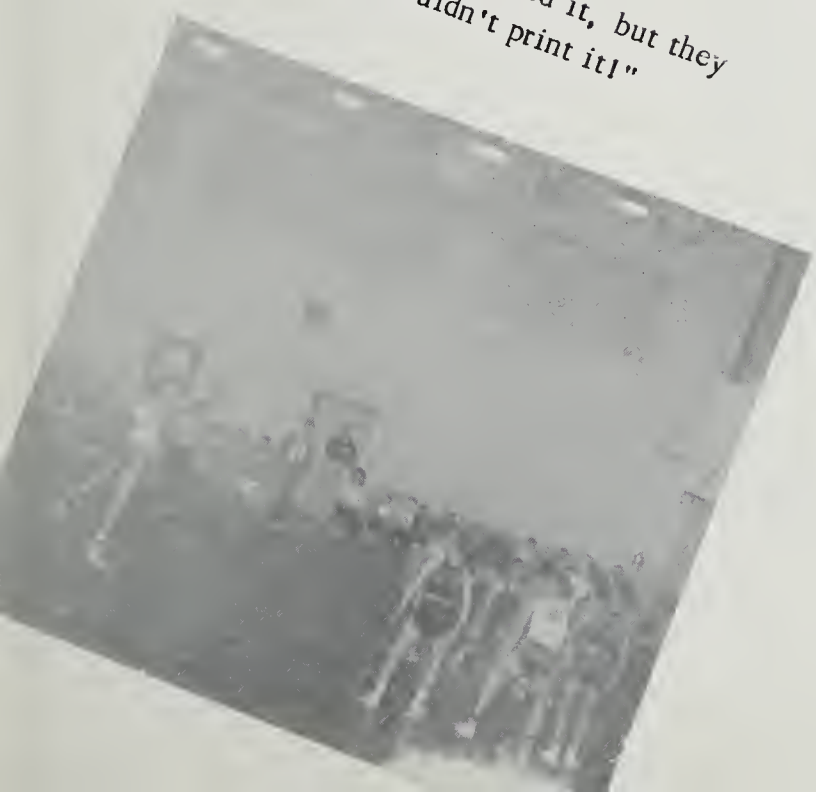


"It must be a woman up there."



The Big Seven

"We named it, but they wouldn't print it!"



"Get it, George! I want another shot."

FIRST ROW: Nancy Hall, Elizabeth Lollis, Barbara Robbins, Annie Rowe, Sylvia Rowe, Joan Stratton. SECOND ROW: Nancy Wiatt, Nancy Speakman, Margaret Wiatt, Kathleen Pointer, Gloria Sterling, Susan Wiatt. THIRD ROW: Dorothy Mershon, Manager, Ruth Jenkins, Bell Mershon, Cathryn Jenkins, and Clarice Hall, Scorekeeper.

Girls' Basketball Team

GHS 41	New Kent	23
GHS 49	York	39
GHS 47	Suffolk	31
GHS 41	Deep Creek	18
GHS 42	Mathews	26
GHS 35	Prince George	30

Miss Wiatt with Captain Nancy Wiatt and Co-Captain Susan Wiatt

GHS 40	Smithfield	45
GHS 54	Va. Beach	20
GHS 31	Church-land	37
GHS 32	Franklin	41
GHS 47	Great Bridge	31
GHS 34	Poquoson	15

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"That did it! I'm leaving!"

"Beautiful! Charming! Potent!"

The Heavenly Seven

"Is this basketball or a crap game?"

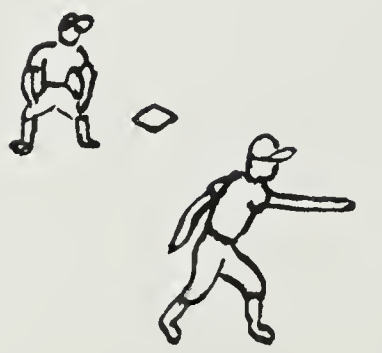
"Shorty, you should know better!"

FIRST ROW: Billy Robbins, Walter Ewell, Tom Hogge, John Hogge, Franklin West. SECOND ROW: Harold Smith, Pete Hale, Sam Jenkins, Herman Hogge, Mitchell Dunstan.

Baseball Team

SCHEDULE

March	26	Hampton	April	29	Poquoson
April	12	York	May	3	Mathew Whaley
April	15	Poquoson	May	6	York
April	19	Mathew Whaley	May	13	Norfolk Academy
April	26	Norfolk Academy	May	17	Mathews



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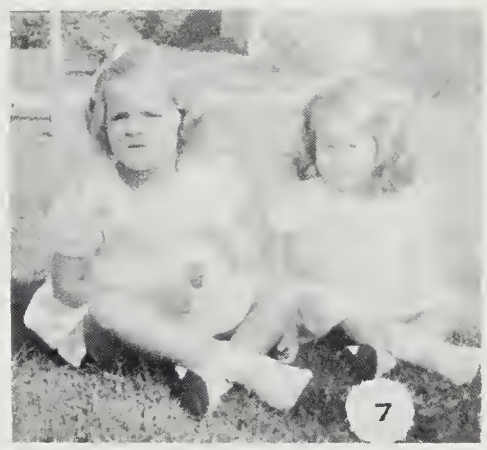
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1. "Ye Old Skating Rink"
2. Shotgun Wedding!
3. Holly Queen
4. Let's Go!
5. What trash!
6. That's for the birds!
7. The Wiatt sisters
8. Smile Pretty!
9. "Three Big Men"
10. Is that Royce?
11. Melissa?
12. Old Pals
13. What's up Doc?
14. Wanna dance?
15. Dancing in the dark
16. Young Mamas
17. Cheesecake!
18. Sun hot?
19. "Pretty Boy"

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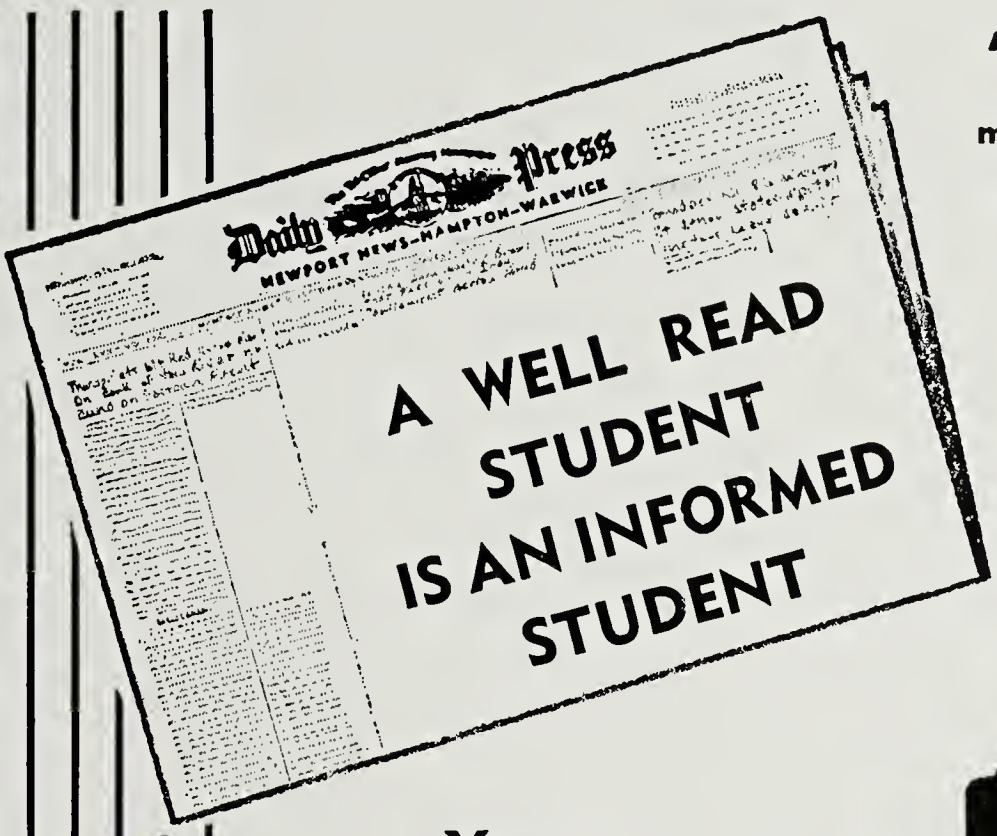

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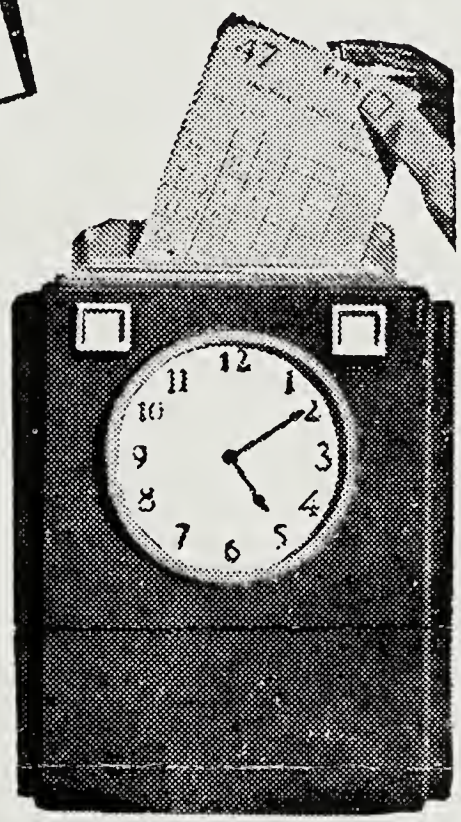

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